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THE EARTHQUAKE IN JAPAN.

Latest Reports Place Number of Killed Report That Negotiations For a Settle in Hiroshima and Upina at Six. ment Are Under Way.

THE CHICAGO STRIKE.

BOTTOM OF DESTROYER

Was Last Man Found When Japs Boarded Vessel--Nebogatoff's Crews Formed Up in Parade Order to Surrender.

London, June 3 .- The Tokio corre

ndent of the Laily Telegraph again to-day sends interesting additional de-tails of the naval battle received from

It is stated that when Rear-Admira! Nebogatoff surrendered, the Russians hoisted red flags on their topmasts with Russian flags below them. The crews ere drawn up in parade order on the white flags. The whole affair, the patca says, was a "Contemptible spec-

vitnessed the battle says that toward

some patnetic scenes. He saw chanasce trigitive Russian sailars striking ou places beneath high cliffs in remote and deserted parts where there were no roads. All of them were thirsty, hungry and over-wrought. A Japanese cruiser engaged in merciful search alone saved six hundred.

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engaged in merciful search alone saved six hundred.

The same correspondent says that when the Japanese troops boarded the torpedo boat destroyer Bedovi, after completely disabiling her. Admiral Rojestvensky was the last man to be discovered. He was hiding at the bottom of the destroyer, and was bleeding freely from many wounds.

The correspondent goes on to say: "It is understood that Admiral Nebogatoff, who is grateful for the kind treatment given him, by order of the Mikado, will be allowed to proceed home within a few days. His surrender was disgraceful and unaccountable. Examination of the ships show that the guns were rusty and the bottoms of the vessels covered with seaweed, but there was no lack of fighting resources. There were heaps of ammunition and no traces of damages by the Japanese shells."

Another correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says that the captain of the armored cruiser Demeitri Donskoi when interviewed admitted the foolishness of trying to force the Tsu straits. He said the Japanese navy is the finest in the world, the crew were so cool and brave as to appear almost like demons, and not human.

haman. The crew of the cruiser Ural describe how three 12-inch shells completely disabled the vessel and sent her to the bottom inside of 40 minutes.

All stories the Telegraph's correspondent sends contrast the accuracy of the Japanese gunnery with the wild firing of the Russians, who were outfought and outmanoeuvred at all points. It is stated that Admiral Togo on the night before the battle, who had heard from his scouts that the Russians would be off Tsu island the following morning, and knowing that all his preparations were complete, slept soundly.

nagenip the battleship Ohio, the Wis-consin, Oregon, Raleigh and Cincinnati was manosuvring outside Coregador when the Aurora saluted with 13 guns, and the Ohio answered.

Admiral Train and his squadron ac-companied the Russian vessels to Manila.

MANY WOUNDED ON THE RUSSIAN VESSELS

Washington, June 3.—The nary department to-day received a cablegram from Rear-Admiral Train, dated Manila, stating that while cruising off Lingayen Guif this morning he sighted three Russian vessels, the Aurora, the Oleg and Jemtchug close in to the shore. The cablegram says there were many wounded on board. Admiral Train adds that he escorted the vessels to Manila.

More definite information will follow to-morrow.

will be cabled to Admiral Train this

ADMIRAL'S RECOVERY SEEMS CERTAIN

Tokio, June 3.—Rear-Admirat Rojest-vensky is resting well, with no danger-ous symptoms, and his speedy recovery seems certain.

seems certain.

The officers of the Russian battleship
Oriel have declined to accept parole.
They have been given an additional day
to further consider the question.

SAILORS SHOT OFF
MADAGASCAR FOR MUTINY

St. Petersburg, June 3.—The statement that the animosition on board Rear-Admiral Nebogatoff's ships was exhausted when he surroadered was received with some relief, this being one of the conditions under which, according to the Russian naval regulations, a commander is allowed to surreader, the other conditions being when the crew of a vessel is so depleted as to be unable to manage her and work her guns and when the ship is burned to the water's edge and about to sink.

Nevertheless, 'most of the naval men continue to be of the opinion that the seacocks should have been opened and the ships sunk.

Stories of mutiny on board the Russian vessels continue to circulate in the caubs and cafes, but the admirady will not admit that it has received any information tending to substantiate them. The officials admit, however, that some sailors mutinied off the coast of Madagascar and that a number of them were shot by Admiral Rojestvensky's orders.

DECIDED FOR PEACE.

Sc. Petersburg, June 3.—3 p. m.—The cabled reports of President Roosevelt's conversation with Ambassator Cassinia t Washington yesterday, huplying that the President had practically tendered his good offices to Russin, created quite a sensation in diplomatic circles here. While the idea that the president has taken such a step aroused surprise in some quarters, it was received with unconceated satisfaction in the belief that it would hasten the decision of Emperor Nicholas, the European powers being, as is pointed out, no matter how ardently they desire the conclusion of peace, more or less embarrassed.

There is very good reason to believe, however, that the reports did not correctly state the President's attitude. He had already made known to the Emperor in a personal message conveyed to him by Ambassador Myer at his presentation audience his willingness and desire to premote the cause of peace, and his conversation with Count Cassini yesterday is believed to have been in this nature, perhaps a stronger reiteration of his receptive attitude without in any sense being a formal tender of his good offices which might subject him to a rebuff.

Count Cassini's report of the conversation has been called to Eosecie Min-

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am's views through Ambassador Benkendorff.
Emperor Nicholas's ministers, as previously stafed in these dispatches, with
two exceptions, are unanimously in
favor of peace, but the Emperor himself
has not yet bowed his head.

The cable statement that Ambassador.
Myer has received fresh instructions
embodying President Rossevel's views
along the line of the reported conversation with Count Cassini for presentation
to Minister Lamsdorff is incorrect.

ERECT LIGHTHOUSE TO COMMEMORATE VICTORY.

Tokio, June 3.—In response to thousands of suggestions and inquiries received, the Diet had decided to erect an enormous lighthouse on Okino island as a monument to commemorate Admiral Togo's great naval victory over the Russian fleet in the battle of the Sea of Japan. It is planned to have the light show a distance of 80 miles, covering almost the entire seeme of the battle. This plan has been adopted over all others, because the monument will be near the scene of the battle, and stand constantly in the sight and memory of the officers and men of the Japanese navy, and will also be a great convenience to navigation. If there should be a future war, it will prevent disasters similar to those which overtook the transports Hitachi and Sado.

The lighthouse will be erected by popular subscription, which, it is believed,

will be open throughout Japan to-mor

AUXILIARY CRUISER AS HOSPITAL SHIP.

New York, June 3.—A San Francisco dispagen says. "The authorities at Marelsiand navy parel share received from Washington instructions to permit the Russian auxiliary cruiser Lena, now interned at the navy yard here, to proceed to Asiatic waters. The Lena will go to Vladivostock as a hospital ship. The Lena will be prepared for sea within a month, and it is believed that her first destination will be Japan. There she will probably be used to convey any wounded Russian officers to Vladivostock.

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"After this the Lena is intended for use as a hospital ship at a Siheria port. Of course the guns and munitions of war removed from the Lena when she arrived here will not be replaced, as her career as an auxiliary cruiser seems to have terminated."

RUSSIAN FINANCIAL LOSS ESTIMATED AT \$73,500,000.

St. Petersburg, June 3.—The St. Petersburg Gazette estimates Russia's financial loss as a result of the battle of the Sea of Japan at \$73,500,000.

FRENCH SENATOR WILL PROPOSE ARBITRATION.

Paris, June 3.—Baroa Destournelles de Constant, senator, and a member of ale Hague arbitration tritunal, is about to submit a motion to the French parliamentary group favoring arbitration in order that the French government may join with the government of Great Britain in offering their good offices to Kns. sia and Japan under the terms of The Hague convention.

Tokio, June 1.—The necessity for secrecy no longer existing, the navy department confirms the report of the loss of the Japanese battleship Yashima off Pert Arthur, in May, 1904, and asnounces other naval losses heretofore withheld. The list is as fellows:

The battleship Yashima, suntk by a mine May 15th, 1904, while engaged in blookading Port Arthur.

The torpedo boat destroyer Akatsukl, surk by a mine May 17th, 1904, while taking part in the blockade of Port Arthur.

with the army off the Liaotony penns-sida.

The torpedo beat destroyer Hayatori, sunk by a mine September 3rd, 1904, while taking part in blockading Port Arthur.

The gurboat Alugo struck a rock and sank November 6th, 1904, while taking part in the blockade of Port Arthur.

J. S. DENNIS WAS PLEASED WITH TRIP

He Speaks Highly of the Possibilities of Vancouver Island From Farming Standpoint.

the C. P. R. for the purchase of the E.

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Vice-President White and his party,
with the exception of J. S. Dennis, left
yesterday afternoon by the steamer
Thistle for the Mainland, after passing
over the line of the E. & N.
Mr. Dennis did not leave with Mr.
Whyte, but returned to the city. The
question of contracts for the taking over
of the railway and land grant by the
C. P. R. is now under discussion by the
solicitors. A. K. Croelman and E. P.
Davis, representing the C. P. R., and
R. A. Elliott, acting for James Dunsmuir.

It is not expected that a conclu-It is not expected that a concinsion in the matter which may be construed as a purchase by the interests concerned will be reached before Monday.

J. S. Deanis, land commissioner of the C. P. R., returned last evening from the trip close the life of the November 1 of the November 1

C. P. R., returned last evening from the trip along the line of the E. & N., and will continue with the solicitors of the companies the final negotiations for the acquiring of the line. Mr. Dennis last evening denied that the deal had reached a stage where it could be said to be absolutely settled.

The trip made by Mr. Dennis with the other officials of the C. P. R. over the E. & N. line was the first occasion upon which he had travelled the line. He is very favorably impressed with Vancouver Island. Interested in the question of agriculture, it is but natural that Mr. Dennis looks at the territory from that standpoint. For that reason it is but to be expected that the Cowichan valley, with Duncans as a centre, had a peculiar interest for him. He regarded it as a very pretty farming section.

thar interest for him. He regarded it as a very pretty farming section.

Mr. Dennis hinks that the solution of the question of clearing land on Vancouver Island is in the steam stumping plants, such as are used in Washington state. There the clearing charges per are are are slow as \$10.55. Steam power is used, and by means of hoisting machinery stumps are raised and piled in himmense heaps for burning.

With the cheapening of the cost of clearing the land there should be a development of the agricultural and horticultural possibilities of the Island, Mr. Dennis looks upon the fruit growing industry as one of great importance in consequence of the sure market which lies so close in the Canadian Northwest.

In connection with the transfer it is

Courtemay was out of the city, and Mr. Abbott could not be seen up to hour of going to press.

The Ladysmith Ledger has the following with reference to the deal:

Mr. Dunsmuir was asked by a Ledger genresentative for news relative to the railway sale. He courteously referred the newspaper man to Mr. Marpole, who save us the following information:

The Canadian Pacific railway, have bought the Esquimait & Nanaimo railway and also the lavel grant of the E. & N. railway. Attorneys Creelman and Davis, representing the C. P. R. are now in Victoria, and unless something entirely anknown at this time comes up, the road and lends, will soon be owned absolutely by the C. P. R.

Mr. Marpole stated that as details might inkn an some time yet, and as the P. R. officials would have to become familiar with affairs along the line, there would not likely be any change made until the first of next month. On this point, however, he did not desire to be quoted as saying that this would be the case.

Mr. Marpole stated that the question

said the company contemplated the building of bunkers in Victoria, and this should at least somewhat increase the demand for coal. He stafed, in answer to an inquiry, that the company were not in any way negotiating for the coal lands. He further stated that he benieved there was great possibilities about for Vancouver Island, and that the C. P. R. would build branch lines or do anything to advance the interests of the country and company, it being understood that the company were here for business and to improve conditions.

THE DISASTER IN NATAL

Fifty Europeans and Five Hundred Hindoo Laborers Reported to Have Perished.

London, June 3.-According to a dispatch to a local agency from Darban, Natal, the death roll resulting from the hurricane which recently swept over Natal and the subsequent bursting of the Hindoo laborers and 50 Europeans.

WELCOME TO BERLIN. The Duchess Cecila Arrived To-Day— Received By Emperor and Crown Prince at Palace.

dally in an indimensity of cheering, while at the end of her progress through the people, the Imperial ramily and all the great personages of state joined with the Emperor and the Crown Prince Frederick William in receiving her at the value.

'YOUNG CORBETT'

AWARDED FIGHT AT END OF TWENTY ROUNIS

Contest Was Exciting Throughout, and Winner Outfought Favorite in Last Few Rounds.

San Francisco, June 3.—Eddie Hanlon fought "Young Corbett" to a standstill here last night during the last few rounds of a 26-round centest and got a hard-earned decision from Referee Ho-man at the end of the 20th round.

The fight was an exciting one from start to finish. During the first part of the contest Hanion had a slight advan-tage, but no harm was done to either man until the 11th round. Then Hanlon rushed Corbett to the ropes, but the Denver man stalled Hanion off and blocked a number of stoward panches. Corbett got to the centre of the ring and in a mix-up put left and right swings on Hanlon's jaw. Handon went to his knees, and took the court of nine. He came up fighting and in spite of Cor-bett's strennous efforts to our about ant.

Mongolinn border and in his attack on the summers of the company in Victoria, is to be transferred to Calgary, where he will be given the responsible position of assistant freight agent. The post is an important one, and would be a decided promotion for Mr. Abbott.

In connection with the rumor is a finite general to the company and will become soften the first details of Mistehenko's expedition, which cocupied from May 13th to May 24th.

They say that Gen. Negl was shown to have no reserves and no defence to his lines of communication in accordance with the Japaness custom, but that his strength was all at the front, which appears to show the general's indifference to the Russian cavalry. Negl's semicircular position north of Pakoman is believed to he very formidable.

Mistchenko's Cossacks appeared to have distinguished themselves by the manner in which they captured their prisoners. The railroad between the lines has how been entirely renoved defining has been the most complete destruction of the bridges.

The first news of the long-expected.

The lads militude of the city, and Mr. Abbott could not be seen up to hour of strongest and forced Certait around the original to the prisoners. The railroad between the dimensioners of the E. & N. as a branch of the C. P. R. will also come although Corbett had a shade, the better of its charge.

This report was obtained on good authority, but could not be confirmed by the other's shoulder, and sharged to a dimension of the bridges.

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MR. CHOATE'S SUCCESSOR.

(Associated Press.)

Plymouth, June 3.—The Philadelphia having on board Whitlaw Keld, one no American ambassador to his source of James, and Mrs. Ried, drawley here day from New York. Mr. and birs. Re landed and took a train for London.

Monsteur Chauffeur

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CANADIAN NEWS

New Professor For McGill-Fire in To-

bacco Drying Plant,

Montreal, June 2.-Clarence Morgan of Burlington, Vt., formerly connected with the New York Central railway, and latterly treasurer of the Rutland

the new transportation department of

Granby, Que., June 2.-Fire broke ou

Company's leaf and drying plant. Two

large buildings were destroyed, one of them containing valuable machinery, and the other building several thousand pounds of leaf tobacco. The loss is covered by insurance.

Haultain's Speech

Revenue Returns.

Winnipeg, June 2.—Inland revenue col-lections for May on Winnipeg district were \$78.074, an increase of \$10,321 over a year ago in the same month.

Success Assured Medicine Hat, June 2.-The success of

Medicine Hat, Jane 2.—The success of the fall wheat crop is assured. The backward spring sent the roots deep and the later warmth has been most beneficial. Ane grain is now 24 inches in height and very uniform. One farmer has 60 acres witch promise to make his fortune. He seeded it on the stubble last fall without even harrowing the land.

fall without even harrowing the land. Death Rate.

Owen Sound, Ont., June 2.—At the meeting of the Grand Orange lodge resterday, the secretary-treasurer reported that the death rate of the Orange Mutual Life Insurance Association was the heaviest of any society. The rate is tendentae per thousand, while in other insurance concerns it did not exceed six per thousand. He recommended a strict and bonest medical examination of all risks, and adherence to impartial business principles.

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mperial will."

Admirals Yamamoto and Ito, responding to the Emperor's rescript, thanking he navy for its victory, express their hanks on behalf of the navy, and pledge he navy to a faithful discharge of its

A telegram from Sascos says that Admiral Rojestvensky stated in an interview that he hoped to clear Tsu Island in a fog, but a sudden southwestern gale cleared the fog and revealed the presence of his fleet.

ANXIOUS FOR NEWS OF MISSING RUSSIANS

St. Petersburg, June 2.—In order to

DETAILS OF THE JAPANESE LOSSES

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEEN WERE KILLED

Interest Is Returning to the Operations On Land Where Ajama's Troops

On Land Where Ajama's Troops
Are Advancing.

St. Petersburg, June 2.—In order to relieve the suspense of thousands of families, Russia has appealed to France to secure through the French minister at Tokio the most complete list possible of the Russian officers and men who perations on land. Togo's victory tremendously alfers the military situation, and removes all limits of offensive operations against Russia's maritime provinces. It is now possible to effectively close Vladivostock, seize Sakhalien, the mouth of the Amur river, Kamehatka and any point between the Tumen river and the Arctic circle that the Japanese may desire:

A foreign military observer, discussing the question with the correspondent of the Associated Press says: "Togo's victory may drive Russia away from the Pacific coast in Asia. Japan now has a free hand in Russia's maritime provinces and her offensive capabilities are unlimited. Nothing bars the way except the Russian force at Vladivostock, whose speedy isolation is possible. The Amur river is open to the Japanese and Russia's force and Russia's maritime provinces and her offensive capabilities are unlimited. Nothing bars the way except the Russian force at Vladivostock, whose speedy isolation is possible. The Amur river is open to the Japanese and Russia's defensive capabilities are unlimited. Nothing bars the way except the Russian force at Vladivostock, whose speedy isolation is possible. The Amur river is open to the Japanese and Russia's defensive capabilities are unlimited. Nothing bars the way except the Russian force at Vladivostock, whose speedy isolation is possible. The Amur river is open to the Japanese and Russia's defensive capabilities are unlimited. Nothing bars the way except the Russian force at Vladivostock, whose speedy isolation is possible. The Amur river is open to the Japanese and Russia's defensive capabilities are unlimited. Nothing bars the day and the removed the removed the removed to have a substitute to the commendation of the decision. According to the disp

bindied to the capacity of the Chineses Siberian railway."

THE LIST OF JAPANESE LOSSES IN BATTLE.

Tokio, June 1.—The Japanese losses in the recent battle of the Sea of Japan were 113 officers and men killed and 424 officers and men wounded.

The losses were distributed as follows: Mikasa, 63; Adzuma, 30; Shikishima

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Mikasa, 63; Adzuma, 39; Shikishima,
39; Asashi, 31; Fuji, 28; Edzuma, 26;
Misshim, 27; Otowa, 26; Kashawa, 26;
Tsushima, 19; Asama, 15; Naniwa, 17;
Tokiwa, 15; Yakumo, 11; Chitose, 6;
Idzumi, 10; Kasugi, 9; Hashidate, 5;
Niitaka, 4.

Nitaka, 4.

The casualties on the destroyers and torpedo houts were 87.

Commander Togo was wounded on hour the Adama.

Admiral Togo, replying to the imperial rescript commending the admiral and his sailors, expresses his appreciation and further says.

paper cites arteries of the havair regularitions forbidding a commander to surrender except as a last emergency, after taking measures to destroy his ship.

The report from Lieut. Dournovo, of the forpedo boat destroyer Bravi, telling how that beat was disabled on the first day of the fight, and limped to Vladivistock through the midst of a hostile flotilla of destroyers, being obliged to even burn her wooden fiftings to reach the harbor, awakens satisfaction, and though the Lyumrud failed to reach lindivistock, her destruction by her own crew is regarded with almost equal pleasure.

The saddest note for St. Petersburg was struck by the destruction of the battleship Alexander III., which was manned by sallors of the Gurad, and officered exclusively by men prominent in society and court. Her crew served during the winter time as a regiment of the Gurad, of which the Dowager Empress was honorary commander.

RUSSIANS CONDEMN

ADMIRAL NEBOGATOFF.

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Raphael, ordering that all of themshould be shot after their exchange, and directing that if the ship should ever be recaptured its infamous history should be blotred out by the destruction of the vessel. The Raphael, strange to say, was recaptured twenty-live years later at Sinope, during the Crimean war, a son of the captain who surrendered her taking part in the battle, and to this son fell the task of executing the dead Emperor's orders to destroy her. Manynaval authorities declare that the Emperor sonder severy the same fate for Admiral Nebogatoff.

While hope for the safety of the protected cruisers Oleg and Aurora has been generally abandoned, some of the naval authorities believe if possible that their commanders, realizing that the fleet had been practically destroyed, and that Vladivostock as a harbor of sefuga would only prove a death trap in the end, laid their course for Nichoiaieff, at the mouth of the Amar river, or for Petropavlovsk. There is plenty of coal at both places to replenish the bunkers of the cruisers. The ships could then escape across the Pacific, and either be intersed in the United States or return by way of Cape Horn.

LINEVITCH REPORTS
ADVANCE OF JAPANESE.

St. Petersburg, June 2—General Linevitch, in a dispatch to Emperor Nicholas, dated May 31st, said:
"On May 29th the Japanese began an advance and attacked our troops in the valley of the Tsin river, about three miles beyond Fenshu pass, which remained in our hands."

RUMOR OF EXPEDITION
GOING TO SAKHALIEN

London, June 3.—According to dispatches from Shanghai, the Japanese are preparing an expedition to the Island of Sakhailen, and have threatened to send a fleet to Shanghai to compet the observance of neutrality with regard to the Russian vessels there. This threat, the dispatch says, has induced the Russian consul to consent that the vessels be interned.

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The correspondent at Tokio of the Daily Mail cabling to his paper concerning the naval battle says: "Owing to the heavy sea in the earlier part of the engagement, the Russian hulls were disclosed below the water line presenting a good target, and enabling the Japanese guns to usure the functions of torpedoes. The commander of the torpedoe boat destroyer Murazame, describing his attack on the battleship Kniaz Souvaroff, says he discharged two torpedoes against her from a distance of a hundred yards. All the Russian survivors confess that the Japanese formation was never broken, and say that their shooting was magnificent."

ROOSEVELT SPOKE IN FAVOR OF PEACE.

FAVOR OF PEACE.

Washington, June 2.—President Rossevelt to-day struck a blow for peace in the Far East. In a conference at the White House this afternoon with Court Cassini, the Russian ambassador, the President expressed the earnest feeling that Russia would forthwith conclude peace with Japan.

Prolongation of the war, he believed, will not result in a victory for the Russian arms, and it can only serve for increase the Japanese demands and render more difficult the drafting of a treaty of peace which the Czar as well as the Mikado can sign. The President spoke, he said, as the friend of Russia no less than of Japan, and on behalf not only of the Washington government but in the interests of humanity.

Until his words have reached Tsarskoe Selo and have been communicated to Emperor Nicholas in the friendly spirit in which they were uttered, their effect cannot be estimated.

Soon after reaching his embassy, Count Cassini began the preparation of a dispatch to his government. Throughout the diplomatic corps there is a strong hope that to-day's conference marked the first step toward peace, but the general opinion is that weeks may clapse before even preliminary negotiations can be begun.

Steamer H. M. Carter, it is reported, ran into the pier of the railroad bridge across the Red river at Alexandria, La., Friday night and sank. Sixteen lives are said to have been lost.

Why That

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ciety and court. Her crew served during the winter time as a regiment of the Guard, of which the Dowager Empress was honorary commander.

RUSSIANS CONDEMN
ADMIRAL NEBOGATOFF.

St. Petersburg. June 2.—Feeling in the admiralty against Rear-Admiral Nebogatoff continues to run high, the majority of naval-authorities being deaf to the appeals of the few who insist that the admiral's action in surrendering his warships should not be condemned until the circumstances become fully known. The majority say they could forgive anything but surrender, and point to the precedent set in the case of the Russian warships Raphael, which in 1829, during the Russo-Tarkish war, struck its colors to free Tarkish skips which surrounded her.

Nicholas I. meted out a terrible punishment to the officers and crew of the

HUNDREDS PERISHED.

Laborers Drowned in Floods-Eaquakes in Albania and Japan.

Durban, Natal, June 2.—A storm whice has swept over Pinetown, the centre of the tea and sugar plantations of Natal, caused the reservoir to overflow, resulting in the drowning of fifty Hindoo laborers.

Later reports say that two hundred persons were killed. The storm resulted in numerous casualties elsewhere.

Five Hundred Killed. Five Hundred Killed.

Cetinje. Montenegro, June 2.—Later details of the earthquake at Scutari. Albania, show that five hundred persons were killed, two hundred and fifty Injured, and that the town was completely devastated. There were two shocks. The inhabitants are now living in the open. The authorities have organized parties to search for the bodies of victims, and it is feared that the list of casualties will be considerably increased.

Earthquake in Japan.

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Tokio, June 2.—Severe earthquakes have occurred in central Japan, extending generally from the province of Hiroshima to the straits of Shimonoseki. The extent of the damage and loss of life are not yet known, but it is feared the losses are extensive.

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MOROCCAN AFFAIRS.

Proposal Will Check Entire Pian.

Paris, June 2.—Although official confirmation is withheld, it is now generally accepted here that the report from Tangier to the effect that the Sultan of Morocco has declined the French propositions for the reform of Morocco, unless approved by an international conference, was correct. This is widely commented upon as amounting to a check, if not the failure of the French mission sent to Fez, as well as a check to the entire French policy in Morocco. Only the absorbing attention given to King Alfonso prevents a renewal of the storm of protest against Germany, as an international conference would be considered to be the result of the influence of the Count Von Tattenbach Ashold, head of the German mission to Fez, with the Sultan. The French statesmen continue to reply upon Great Britain, Italy and Spain refusing to join the proposed conference, which, with the refusal of France and Russia, and possibly the indifference of the United States, would leave the conference without any membership except Germany.

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London, June 3.—The situation over Morocco is viewed with no little concern in tinismatic circles here. Indirectly Morocco is viewed with no little concern in diplomatic circles here. Indirectly the Sultan's refusal to accept the French proposals is regarded as a rebuff to Great Britain, but the Associated Press understands that rather than risk a further complication, France will be likely to join the other powers in a conference at rea, and Great Britain will follow suit. Should France decline to enter into conference, Great Britain likewise will deeline, in which event serious difficulty may ensue.

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CASTRO EXPLAINS.

Why Minister Bowen's Arbitration Proposal Was Rejected.

Caracas. Venezuela, June 2.—Presi-dent Castro reed his message to con-gress to-day. He said, in part, that Weariness?

tained good relations with foreign powers in the degree their respective representatives desired. Therefore, the relatively cordial, The government had acceded to the desires of the respective representatives are fall to the desires of the respective representatives of foreign constricts as far as justice, equity and the dignity and honor of the nation permitted. On the other hand, Venezuela

contries as far as justice, equity and the dignity and honor of the nation permitted. On the other hand, Venezuela had duly paid the allies the amounts peremptorily demanded by them and had then paid them 30 per cent, of the duties collected at Lagnaira and Puerto Cabello. In regard to other debts of Venezuela, the government of Venezuela had twice sent General Jose Antonio Velutini to Europe to make new arrangements with her creditors.

Continuing, the President said: "With the United States, through causes for eign to our wills and without the least responsibility on our part, we have had a slight difference, but the discussion of the questions seems to have made the facts clear to the Americans, judging from the measures the said government lately passed in favor of our good and cordini friendship. These questions refer to the Bernudez and Orinoco Company. The latter have already been adjudged under the protocols, but nevertheless Mr. Bowen declared a new arbitration: The government could not accede to this, as the sovereignty and independence of the republic were involved."

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LANSDOWNE'S SPEECH.

Good Understanding With France Has Prevented Trouble During War.

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London, June 2—Lord Lansdowne, secretary for foreign affairs, presided at the dinner of Conservative agents to night. Replying to the toast of the health of Mr. Balfour, Lord Lansdowne referred to the hope expressed for a renewal of the Angle-Japanese alliance, and said that the only practical question would be as to how best to strengthen the existing alliance. Never were the relations between Great Britain and France better or stronger than at present, said Lord Lansdowne, and when the inner history of the recent anxious months came to be written, it would appear that the good understandings with France had been the means of greatly mitigating the friction and troubles which seemed inevitable when a great war was progressing. He said that the one great hope of Great Britain just now was to secure peace in the Far East.

Lord Lansdowne said the necessity for maintaining the army and navy was llustrated by Japan, which had exhibited a spirit of far-seeing patriotism that all countries might emulate.

SAFETY FOR CHILDREN.

Calgary, June 2.—Concluding his address at a banquet last evening, Premier Haultain said he had no announcement to make, but hoped all would unite with him in making Alberta the best province in the Dominion. This was taken to in the Dominion. This was taken to mean that he will remain in Alberta. He hoped, he said, that the non-partizan government of the Territories would continue in the new provinces.

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THE EQUITABLE LIFE.

James H. Hyde Asked to Retire—H. C. Frick Has Resigned.

New York, June 2.—Disputed claims of victory by the conflicting factions in the Equitable Life Assurance Society to the Grave and an apparent readjustment of interests, marked the meetings of the direc-THE STEPPING STONE TO CON.

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"The board, after full discussion, and after replies on their behalf to the committee by President Alexander, Vice-President Hyde and Vice-President Tarbell, on the motion of Mr. Schiff, adopted the following resolutions:

"I. That a chairman of the board be created with plenary powers over all departments and affairs of the society.

"2. That a nominating committee, consisting of D. O. Mills, John A. Stewart, A. K. Cassatt, T. Jefferson Colbridge, August Belmont, J. B. Forgan and Robert T. Liniston, be requested to report at a meeting of the board to be called on Wednesday next, a candidate for chairman.

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"3. and at that meeting of the board the executive committee be reorganized and that appropriate amendments to the by-laws should be reported for submission to that meeting for the purpose of carrying out those resolutions.

"4. That Mr. James H. Hyde be requested within three months to divest himself of the control of the stock of the society, on such terms and conditions as shall be satisfactory."

The board decided against the acceptance of the Frick committeeds report by a vote of 24 to 13.

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At a business meeting of the First Baptist church recently, it was resolved to erect a new church building on the northwest corner of Burrard and Nelson streets. Lots were purchased there last August with this end in view. At the meeting it was decided to start a convass to raise \$15,000 before preparing plans for the new structure, and as a nucleus for this fund four gentlemen present subscribed among themselves the handsome sum of \$5,000. The old church will also be sold and the proceeds applied to the building fund. No decision as to the final cost of the new building has yet been reached, but it will not be less than \$25,000.

The "hold-up" man appears to be abroad again with a vengeance, says the News-Advertiser. On Wednesday evening two men were victimised in the same vicinity and very nearly at the same time. The first victim was Henry Roberts, who was passing the Roman Catholic church at 11 o'clock on his way home, when he was confronted by a man with a revolver who bade him hold up his pockets and took away \$1.10, which fortunately happened to be all he carried with him. The second victim was Frank Stirsky. He was passing the corner of Richards and Georgia streets at 11.10 when the revolver was poked into his face, and his poskets were depleted of \$55. Mr. Stirsky's description of his robber corresponds with that of Mr. Roberts, except that he says he wore a moustache.

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Among the guests at the Hotel Vancouver is James Macdonell, of Montreal, the well known railway contractor, who has secured the contract to build the line into Nicola. In an interview with a representative of the News-Advertiser Mr. Macdonell stated that he would employ about 1,500 men on the work and would start construction almost immediately. Supplies, amounting to several thousands of dollars, would be purchased here and local merchants would thus receive great benefit from the railway. The contract would amount to some \$1,500,000.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.

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The following conferences have also been arranged: Sunday school superintendents; Sunday school secretaries; Sanday school shrarians; teachers of the various departments; teachers of mericorganized classes; primary and junior teachers; organizing teacher-training classes; organized work in cities; pastors and theology teachers' conference; house-to-house visitation or religious census; temporary and permanent results of the touring plan. Other conferences will be announced.

In addition to the convention; Intermational Institute of Sunday School Workers, which include the "Field Workers" and the Primary and Junior Organizations—June 20th to noon June 23rd.

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Dr. Fagan in touching upon what methods should be employed in this teaching took occasion to doubt the wisdom of going deeply into physiology and anatomy. It required a trained mind to grasp all this. He thought the books on hygiene might well be changed. The principles of hygiene might be easily imaght as he showed by instances without any particular knowledge of anatomy or physiology.

Exaggerated ideas were conveyed in some of those books on hygiene also, the lecturer said. The truth was appalling enough without an exaggeration.

In this connection he referred to the feaching of some of these books with respect to the use of alcohol. By these the pupil was led to have a very exaggerated notion of the effects which would be produced by the use of alcohol. These ideas were afterwards contradicted as

ward hotel.

Annual meeting of the editorial association—Board room, Methodist Publishing House, June 20th to 23rd.

Meeting of the international executive committee—King Edward hotel, June 22rd, 11 a. w.

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HYGIENE IN SCHOOLS

ignorant of this disease than any other, and its prevalence was due to that fact more than to any other. Some years ago in the Old Country typhus fever had raged continually, and with most disastrous results despite the efforts of the medical fraternity. When, however, the means of preventing it from gaining the upper hand became generally known the inhibit undertook their own protection and now the disease was very seldom heard of. He differed slightly from Dr. Fagan's views especting the use of alcohol. In his oninion if a petient took the extra amount, prescribed by a doctor, there would be little difference between him and a tind abstance. Concluding, Bisshop Perrin expressed the loope that the students of Victoria College would appreciate what the officials of the Anti-Tuberculosis Association were doing in their behalf and evidence a proper interest-in the series of lectures. They would, he believed, be highly instructive as well as entertaining.

Rev. Mr. Clay made a few remarks appreciative of Dr. Fagan's address, and praising the work of the association under whose auspices the lecture had been given. He was followed by Trustee Dr. Hail, who made quite a lengthy and very interesting speech. In opening he explained that, while differing from Dr. Fagan in many matters, he was in complete sympathy with the proposition towards enlightening the public regarding the danger of tuberculosis and the measures necessary to check it. He was very much interested in this matter, and promised to give Dr. Fagan all the assistance in his power in the work he has undertaken. The address of that gentlemen, however, had not been of the disease itself, but of hygiene, and be intended to confine his remarks as much as possible to that subject. In his opinion the multiple school claucher of the present

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On account of the bad weather the United Service Golf Club could not have prizes as first arranged, so they arranged After Dr. Fagan's lecture His Lord last Friday week. The same afternoon the Bishop Perrin was called upon for the tie for the second place was played club house, and the prizes were presented by Col₂ English, who in a few well-chosen words thanked the donors of the lovely prizes, and also those who had competed in the different events, and chosen words thanked the donors of the lovely prizes, and also those who had competed in the different events, and helped to make the tournament a success. Mr. Fall, R. A., and Miss Violet Pooley won the sweepstakes, and they were heartly chevred on going forward to get their prizes, as Mr. Fall as secretary was untiring in his efforts to lave the programme carried out successfully, and his partner had given valuable assistance. Amongst the couples playing were Colonel Jones and Mrs. Martin, Mr. Reed and Miss Eva Louwen, Mr. Elliston, R. A. and Miss Pemberton, Mr. Hood, R. E., and Mrs. Jones, Capt. Bimbury and Mrs. Crow Baker, Dr. Tombury and Mrs. Crow Baker, Dr. Tombury and Mrs. Langley, Mr. Yates, R. An. and Miss Poly Langley, Amongst those there in addition to the players were Mrs. Bland, Mrs. Prior, Miss Dray, Miss Erskine, Miss Baswell, Miss Gladys Green, Miss Bell, Mr. Kirwan, Capt. Popham and Major Bland.

Mrs. G. L. Courtney visited Seattle during the week. holme, have returned from a six months' visit to England. They will remain for a few-days visiting relatives here and in Metchosin, before proceeding to their Half the time you're afraid to ear Half the time you're afraid to eat, your tongue is conted, mouth tastes bad, stomach is bloated. If you want to get well, stop using dyspepsia tablets and go to the source of the trouble before it too late. Strengthen your stomach, cast out the bile, regulate the bowels—do this and dyspepsia will be no more. For your condition the best prescription is Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are made specially for the stomach, kidneys and liver, no better remeity will ever, he devised, for Dr. Hamilton's Pills are perfect. To the overworked organs they give new strength. The general heafth is built up, and all trace of dyspepsia disappears. Here is proof:

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"During my visit to the colonies I was much impressed by the cades morals ment there, which had then attained some importance."

was hauled in by a team.

Mr. Frank Han'ngton, who is now in the Bank of Commerce in Vancouver, is spending his holidays at home in Carbery Gardens.

Mrs. Dixi H. Ross or the Mrs. Dixi H. Ross or

Mrs. Dixi H. Ross and her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Wilson, have returned after spending some months in California. Returns For the Month of May Reported By Chief Watson.

Miss Price and Miss Drury, of Quebec, who have been staying at Government House, have left for isome.

On last Tuesday evening the young people who took part in the "King of Siam" opera gave a most enjoyable dance in the A. O. U. W. hall. The effair was principally managed by Miss Alice Bell. The music was supplied by Miss Alice Bell. The music was supplied by Miss Heater and others. The floor was excellent and dancing was kept up till 3 o'clock. There were no decorations, but light refreshments were provided. Mrs. Monteith, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. King and Mrs. Newling acted as chaperones. Amongst those there I noticed Miss Sweet, Miss E. Brown, Miss E. Campbell, Miss Brady, Miss Herland, Miss King, Miss Grace Lang, Miss Muriel Hall, Miss Lombard, Miss Kelle Todd, Miss Monteith, Miss Katie King, Miss Bullen, Miss Hickey, Mr. Scholefield, Mr. D. Hanington, Mr. A. Gore, Mr. G. Johnston, Mr. L. Foot, Mr. J. S. Patton, Mr. Leslie Bell, Mr. Cornwall, Mr. Fisher, Capt, Martin, Mr. Genry, R.A., Mr. B. Prior, Mr. D. Builen, Mr. T. M. Foote, Mr. C. Berkeley, Mr. Maskett, Mr. Wille Irving, Mr. P. Garnett, Mr. Roger Monteith, Mr. Ted Brown, Mr. Roger Monteith, Mr. Ted Brown, Mr.



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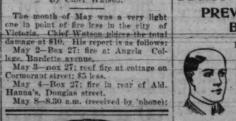
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LESSONS OF THE BATTLE.

After reading the man and the amateur mayal expert, whose name is legion, incontinently arrived at the conclusion the battleship is of a trifling value factor in naval warfare. The dispatches contained practically hils of the manner in which the of agent was conducted or of the part of its by the various vessels of degrees of strength under the nand of the great Togo. The Rusheet was practically annihilated of the great togo. The Rusheet was practically annihilated or considerable to the considerable to the part of the par sailors. The Japanese escaped unof sallors. The Japanese escape as we control the line would lot go into metaral deduction was that torpedo boats and destroyers had committed all the havor, because if the affair had been a standalp fight between battleships of practically identical power in armament sections of the Dominion have not been ere could have been no such disparity and in ships. But in this case natural deduction was at fault. The inferences

of the Ry into: in some instances the no analogy between the case of the crown of captured vessels are represent. Maine short line and that of the V. V. ed as having been in a state closely & E., because the route through Maine bordering on panic when they fell into the heads of their capters. One might deduce from such facts what might be a tolerably correct inference that the disastrous calamity that befell the fleet of Rhiestvensky was due in part at least to the state of nervous prostration of the Russelns, and in part to the enthusiasm, tempered by cool judgment, unfaltering courage and daring, of the Japanese. The consulers of the majority of the Czar's ships submitted with the sullen indifference of the fatalist to the fate indifference of the fatalist to the fate their acceptions pounded into them with the rest of the new Orientalism, but there were exceptions. The case of Admira Nebogatoff was one of the exceptions. If the facts as related can be detions. If the facts as related, it would represent the rest of the new Orientalism, but companies might earn dividends. We are rich. Why should we be granted the right to travel and transportation over a direct route at a minimum of cost of the new Orientalism, but companies might earn dividends. We are rich. Why should we be granted the right to the rest of the rest of the new Orientalism, but companies might earn dividends. We are rich. Why should we be granted the right to travel and transportation over a direct route at a minimum of cost of the rest veloped into facts established, it would perhaps be more tolerable for the Admiral and his officers to tarry in Japan, for little mercy the first state of nervous collapse if they make the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first stand up for their rights and declare that rights and privileges freely accorded the rest of Canada—not even state to the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first stand up for their rights and declare that rights and privileges freely accorded the rest of Canada—not even the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse if they have the first state of nervous collapse in the first state of nervous collapse in the first state of nervous collapse in the for liftle mercy will be shown them by their judges when they arrive home. And

except upon the hypothesis that the state of the ship Admiral Nebogatoff fought represented in a degree the state of the Russian fleet generally. On paper and actually Admiral Rojestvensky passed through the Straits of Korea with more ships and a more powerful arminent in the v., V. & E. would be able to operate its trains economically and give its patrons a cheap service "winds" across the border and back again. As if that were not evidence of treachery and an intention to be tray us. If the charter were amended in accordance with the request of the

of the highest power. The Japanese is reported to have had but three, although he may have had four. It is not given to the world to know absolutely what LIMITED.
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Mikado may be. In cruisers the rivals

were about equal, with the preponderwere about equal, with the preponder-ance of power probably in favor of Japan, but not to such an extent as to overcome the tremendous disparity be-tween the fleets of battleships. Togo, of course, had at his service a greater number of vessels of the torpedo and de-stroyer types. But, as has been pointed out, these were not brought into effective service until the enemy was hammered into helplessness by the heavy artillery of the larger ships. The facts being that the Russians brought into action a greater number of heavy fighting ship armed with a larger number of longrange, large-calibre guns, must not the conclusion be accepted that it is the animate material, and not the inanimate, that is effective in naval warfare?

"PATRIOTISM." ETC.

that there is no "analogy" between the gan Central Railway or the Grand Iy interested with them, are apparently more easily duped. We have forgotten hatter is part of the C.P.R. system. We suppose we might as well make the analcase of the V., V. & E. and the Michi-Trurk or the Maine short line, which latter is part of the C.P.R. system. We suppose we might as well make the analogy complete and comprehensive by including the "Soo line to St. Paul. If that road had beep built by foreign capital, as of course no part of the C. P. R. or any other railway running through Can-ada was, if would have been criticized as a transportation stratagem designed to "drain Canada of her magnificent resources." Having been constructed by patriotic money at the instance of men of unquestioned and unimpeachable patriotism, it is of course a product of patriotism. It is a short line and a direct route. It can be worked more economically than a roundabout and cir-cuitous road, therefore, while it has develop and utilize a large section what might otherwise be a comparative ly unproductive country, establishes cheap rates where dear rates might

And then, again, the railway lines in the east and the centre and the west which cross the border do so boldly and o not drawn from reliable data. As honestly. They do not "wind" across after of fact, the Battle of the Japan from one side to the other in a sneaking Sen was opened at long range by the heavy guns of the fleets, and it was continued for the greater part of the first Seattle. It has agents in the Sound day as a fremendous duel, of "long toms." The naval wasps were not permitted to attempt so much as a sting until the Russian squadsons had been completely demoralized and thrown into the company which asks that the V., V. confusion by the superior skill of the Japanese officers in manoeuvring their cross the border in quest of a feasible ships, and the wonderful marksmanship grade refuses to be a party to the drainof the Japanese gunners. The practical age of Canada of her wealth and relesson of the battle for naval men is not sources of men and materials. We have ources of men and materials. We have that a sine the ship or has been tried and found wanting, but that, as in the days of wooden three-deckers, it is the men behind the guns, under cool-headed and courageous officers, who win battles.

Cers, who win battles of the battle are located incidents of the battle are one of the features of management it never departs from.

Then, again, as we are told there i afford to pay the maximum rates for the transportation of their products by circuitous routes in order that railway when there is a company anxious to con-struct for us a roundabout line and to struction us a rouncimbout one and to carry us over it at rates proportionate to its length? There are actually men and a few newspapers in British Columbia who have the hardibood and the effrongo footh-in-the name of Holy Russia and take vengeance upon her cursed but unconquerable enemies.

The result of the last naval engagement of importance in the Russo-Japanese war, we affirm, cannot be explained except upon the hypothesis that the state of the ship Admiral Nebogatoff fought JEWELLERY REPAIRING

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company the line with the long route would be forced to either build a short line for itself or to compete with the rates on the short, economically operated route, as is the case in all other parts of Can-ada in which analogous conditions pre-vail. And yet the people of Similka-meen are not content; they refuse to We on the coast, who ought to be equal-

> DARE TO PRAISE. S. E. Klaer.

"Ob, Master, Fate is harsh—men sigh Beneath the burden that she lays Upon their shoulders—how amay I Restore their faith in Him on high?"— My Master answered: "Dure to praise!"

WHY HE PRAYED FOR RAIN. Brooklyn Eagle. Rev. Livingston, of Georgia,

smail towns of Georgia, "and Mr. Livingsion, "has many proteges among the people
in the snountain country near. Several
years ago there was, a long dry speli in
Georgia. At about the beginning of it the
wife of one of the mountaineers died. The
disconsolate husband followed her to, the
grave, and was the last to leave the burying ground. His footprints remained large
and distinct in the clay beside the grave.
Six weeks afterward my friend drove out to
see how the widower was doing. He was
found sitting in the door of his cabin, staring hopelcesty at the cloudless sky.
"Eff hit would only turn in an' rain, he
sair, "I wouldn't ask nothin' of nobody."
"The dry weather is bad for the crops,
the visitor remarked.
"'Taint crops,' said the widower, 'hit's
Miss Seliny Johnson. She swears she won't
marry me till it rains."

"'Why not?' the visitor asked.
"'She 'lows hit wouldn't be showin'
proper respects for my first wife to marry
before my tracks in the graverard is washed out. I shore do wish hit would turn in
"rain." I shore countin' he are washan' rain. I been courtin' her six weeks. Good Lord, a man kain't wait on the weath-er forever."

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TOBACCO BAD FOR THE HEARING. Boston Transcript, stinguished French physic

A distinguished French physiologist has discovered that tobacco impairs the powers of the auditory nerve. He advises persons who have shown any tendency towards deaf-ness or in whose ancestry any such tendency is discoverable absolutely to eschew the weed. It's undoubtedly a sound warning, but one to which innety-nine out of one hand yet anothers will turn a deaf carrier

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WANTS TO REGULATE SPEED OF AUTOMOBILES

Ald. Hanna Will Move In Matter at Mor day's Meeting- Proposed Amendment to Pound By-law.

With reference to the regulating of the speed of automobiles, to which an article was devoted in this paper on Saturday last, setting forth among other things the law on the provincial statute books with respect to this matter, no definite action has yet been taken. Ald. Hanna has conferred with the city solicitor, Mr. Mason, and has ascertained that practically the whole authority for the governing of the speed of automobiles is vested in the provincial powers. Licenses have been issued to the number of 30 odd, but these, it is understood, were unaccompanied by any instructions or riles for the running of the machines. The alderman also waited upon the attorney general yesterday and learned that that official was prepared to estertain appreasanable proposal which the council shound advance. As a result of these interviews it is the intention of Ald. Hanna to bring the matter before the city council at the regular meeting on Monday evening. He will move that the law be enforced providing that: "Permits shall be issued from the office of the superintendent of provincial police, and shall be furnished to persons requiring the same by such persons requiring the same

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In this connection Ald. Hanna will request that specific conditions be imposed on automobilists, and it is with this cobject that he will introduce the matter in the council.

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go ahead with the work. Other aldermen would favor the shortest kind of a bridge being constructed, with as much filling in as possible on both ends. On the other hand again, the property holders don't wish to see the bridge placed elsewhere.

ers don't wish to see the bringe persented by the lesswhere.

Little headway has been made in the settlement of the sewer difficulty in Spring Ridge, and for the time being the matter seems to have been dropped out of pablic discussion. The residents of the district appear to be concerning themselves more about the taxation assessments affected by the work that has been done at the gravel pits.

Of Convention of the King's Daughters Is

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and are negative products from being unanimously elected.

The result of the ballot for the remothers had not been given at the tigoing to press.

This afternoon a children's service.

consecration meeting is being conducted by Mrs. Day. This will bring to a successful close the fifth annual convention of the King's Daughters.

Thes. R. Stockett, Jr., manager of the Western Fuel Company's mines at Nanaimo, arrived in the city on the noon train. His visit to the city is a business one. J. Kingham, the local agent of the company in Victoria, is leaving on a holiday trip of several months. Mr. Stockett is looking into the arrangements for handling the business during Mr. Kingham's absence.

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—The Savoy was well patronized for —At the provincial assay office gold is

The Savoy was well patronized for the matinee performance this afternoon, and will close this evening what is admitted to be one of the best all-round bills ever offered within its walls. Memphis Kennedy, Cole and Cole, Kinso, Kenera, the English travesty artist, and the ladies's singing brigade are the particular attractions of the show. For next week, music and comedy will give the keynote to the performances, among the bookings being found that of the Fiechtel Tyrolean Quartette, a notable group of entertainers who made perhaps the greatest success of years at the German village during the entire continuance of the Pan-American exposition four years-ago. McIntyre, Fletcher and McIntyre are three young and graceful girls, who dance and sing acceptably; Gordon and Revere offer an amusing sketch, and Tom Mack, the veteran minstrel, will be seen in his inimitable monologue, with song interpolations. Leona Clifton, Beatrice Lorge, Allice Wilderstrei, will be seen in his immitable mono-logue, with song interpolations. Leona Clifton, Beatrice Lorne, Alice Wilder-mere, Jennie Clair and others will round out the bill with new and artistic oper-atic and ballad selections and up-ta-date

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—A cheque book of the First National Bank of Riverside, Riverside, Cal., picked up at James Bay this morning, is at the Times business office awaiting a claimant.

The annual parish picnic of the St. Barnabas church is being held at the Gorge to-day. The picnic grounds selected for the occasion are near Mrs. Marshall's residence. A programme has been prepared for the outing and a good time will be spent if the weather proves at all favorable. Refreshments will be served at reasonable rates.

Ail members of No. 6 company, Fifth, Regiment, are reminded that they must shoot twice over the range before June 11th. The range will be open next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 5.30 o'clock, when markers will be provided for the company. There will also be shooting on Thursday evening and Saturday afternoon, when markers will be provided by the Rifle Association at the usual fec.

—Attention is drawn to C. F. Moore's "Second Series," a booklet now with booksellers. It is well got up, illustrated, and will be found replete with matter dealing with trade and war. To the diplomat, merchant and traveller, its pages give thought, profit, and it may be a made by the government as yet.

—H. L. Saimon has received a list of the starters in the recent Derby race, and is therefore closing up his sweep-stakes. He is prepared to pay to all holders of tickets the prizes due them.

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—At the last nicht.

Programme.

—At the provincial assay office gold is coming in steadily. There are from 15 to 20 lots arriving each yeek. These are of varying values. As yet the Yukon has not begun to ship. The shipments are from Coast points, Cariboo, Cassiar, Omineca, Atlin and other parts of British Columbia. The gold receipts are not all confined to British Columbia points, however. A mine operated by United States capital at Ketchikan is shipping steadily. This mine is sending its concentrates to Ladysmith smelter and the gold to the provincial assay office.

—Among the selections to be given by Miss Underhill at her recital next Wednesday, the 7th inst., in Calvary Baptist church, may be mentioned "Miss Lady's Fan" and "The Lecture." The first named is an interesting story of a little Southern pickanimy, and the important part she plays in the reconciliation of two lovers. "The Lecture" is an amusing character sketch describing a locture on "Woman's Rights" in a little New England town, Miss Underhill will give several other selections, which, together with vocal and instrumental numbers by Mrs. Stancland, Miss Jennie Bishop and Jesse Longfield will make up a programme of exceptional merit.

-Dr. W. J. Knox and wife, who are guests at the Driard, are on their honey-moon trip. The marriage took place on Thursday at Vancouver. The News-Advertiser has the following notice of the moon frip. The marriage took place on Thursday at Vancouver. The News-Advertiser has the following notice of the wedding: "Dr. William J. Knox, a gonular young physician of Kelowna, B. C., and Miss Janet Isabella Dickson, daughter-of. Mr. C. T. Dickson, collector of inland revenue at Kingston, Ont., were united in marriage Thursday morning. The cremony, which was performed by Rev. R. J. Wilson, M.A., pastor of St. Andrew's church, took place at the residence of Mr. J. E. Miller, Haro street, in the presence of a few intimate frienda. The brids was attired in a handsome grey travelling dress with white trimmings and blue hat, trimmed with forget-me-noits. After a recherche wedding breakfast, the couple left for Victoria and Portland on their honeymoon trin and will be away about two weeks. Or their return they will proceed to Kelowna, where they will make their home."

—The bill at the Grand theatre has continued to draw big houses every night, and the three closing performances to night will doubtless tax the capacity of this popular theatre to its utmost. The wonderful magnetic power exhibited by Miss Annie Abbott is the subject of comment throughout the city, no one being able to offer any explanation of the case with which the little woman resists the efforts of the strongest men, or number of men, to lift or more her. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. J. Dowling dally confirm the good impression made at the opening of the week, everyone expressing surprise that a legitimate act of so much merit and interpreted by such capable artists is to be seen in a popular priced house so far west. Hallen and Hayes, with their singing and dancing, earn repeated recalls at every performance. F. Roberts

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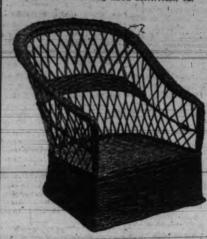
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Sporting News

A CLOSE MATCH.

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In a ten-inning game yesterday aftermoon Everett defeated Victoria baseball team. The match was a spiendid exhibition. At the end of the ninth innings the score stood I to I. The extra inning decided the matter, however, Everett getting two runs in it, while Victoria failed to score. Rowan pitched for Everett. He was the star pitcher of the game. He has a peculiar style of delivery which is hard to get on to. Yesterday he shut Victoria out of a single base bit. Howan's friends all prophesy for him a quick advance in baseball.

Rowan, who is an Old Country man, is said to have first taken to the game when exhibitions were played some years ago by baseball teams from America which toured the Old Land. He conceived a liking for the art of pitching, and persevered in his work. Recently he arrived in this country, and was signed by Everett.

Galaski was in the box for Victoria. His work yesterday was good, and he kept the Everett batters well in hand.

Three new men appeared with Victoria. These were Dudley, Brockoff and Jansa. Dudley and Jansa did not succeed in doing anything at bat. Of course they were not peculiar in this respect from other Victoria players. Rowan's pitching being most difficult to counteract. Even Hutchison, the heavy batter in Howlett's team, never got to first except on balls. Brockoff made the only run for Victoria in the third imning. He got first on balls, succeeding in reaching home shortly afterwards through a succession of Wild throws to second and third.

third.

Brockoff also made a most glaringerror in judgment on the field. In the
eighth inning Hulen dropped a high fly to
centre field. No one expected anything
else than that he was out. The grand
stand waited to see the new centre fielder
class the ball, but to their dismay, just
before it was supposed to reach his
hands, Brockoff was seen to turn, having
altogether misjudged the ball's drop. He
failed to catch it, to the disgust of the
stand.

stand.

Downing, the short stop, bumped into Galaski as he was gathering in a fly from Rowan's bat in the seventh inning, and lost it to the pitcher. The short stop atoned for this a few mindies later by retiring Rowan as he attempted to steal

Jansa, on third base, played good ball, d gave excellent promise. McManus was behind the bat, and C. rd at right field, where he did excel-

lent work.

The extra inning was the most disastrous for Victoria. While Brockoff was attempting to gather in a fly from Altman's bat, Dudley, who also claimed the fly, bumped into the centre fielder, and the ball fell to the ground. Rowan succeeded in hitting past third base and getting to the first plate. Hulen followed with a bunt, and got to first. With the bases full two ... atters, Jacobs and Burnes, were struck out. Heitmueller then made a base hit to centre, letting in two of the base runners. Mackay followed to bat and was struck out. The game, however, had been lost to Victoria.

Everett.

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*Williams batted for Dudley in the tenth.
Score by Innings.

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Victoria 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
Summary-Earned runs, Everett, 0; Victoria, 0. Two base hit, Hulen. Struck out, by Rowan, 6; by Galaski, 9. Bases on balls, off Rowan, 5; off Galaski, 2. Sacrifice hits, Hulen, Jacobs. Burnes, Dudley. Hit by pitched ball, Mackle, Dudley. Stolen hases, Burnes, Mackle 2. Left on bases, Everett, 8; Victoria, 5. Umpire, Derrick.

TWO GAMES TO-DAY.

The public will have the opportunity of ceing Everett and Victoria in two matches this afternoon. Only one ad-

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mission will be charged for the two matches. The first match opened at 2, the second to, follow immediately afterwards. The second match to-day is made necessary in order to catch up with the scheduled match which was missed on Thursday owing to Everett falling to catch the boat at Scattle. Hoiness will likely pitch one game to-day and Howlett the other. Everett has Doyle, Carter and Belt to choose from,

LACROSSE,

A PRACTICE MATCH.

A PRACTICE MATCH.

Members of the Victoria senior twelve hekt a practice gnme last evening at Oak Bay. Two teams were selected, the Central intermediates lining up against a team composed of seniors and a number of outside players. The match was fast and interesting, and the boys displayed very good form.

The next British Columbia league game in which the home twelve will participate will take place on Saturday, the 10th inst., at the Terminal City between Victoria and Vancouver. The Victorians intend taking over their strongest team, and are determined to make a creditable showing.

PRACTICE NEXT WEEK. Members of the Collegiate club are asked to attend practice on the grounds adjoining the school on Monday and Tuesday evenings in preparation for Thursday's game at Oak Bay.

GAME LAST EVENING. An exciting game was played last night in Goodacre's field between the North Wards and Fernwoods, the former winning by a score of 3 to 2. It was a good clean game free from rough playing. Stanley Porter gave every satisfaction as referce,

CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES.

At Oak Bay links this afternoon the monthly medal competition is in progress. Both the ladies' and gentiemen's champiouships are also being played. The contestants are Miss Violet Pooley and Mrs. Langley, and C. J. Prior and H. Coombe.

CRICKET. GAMES IN PROGRESS.

Two matches are in progress this afternoon. One is taking place between the Victoria and Garrison teams at Work Point and another is being played between the Royal Engineers and the local second eleven at the Jubilce

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ALCOHOL A POISON

So Declares Sir Frederick Treves, Surgeon to the King.

Sir Frederick Treves, surgeon to the Sir Frederick Treves, surgeon to the King, addressing a temperance meeting, declared that alcohol is distinctly a poison, and that its use ought to be limited as strictly as any other poison. He added that it is not an appetizer, and that even a small quantity hinders digestion. Its stimulating effect only endures for a moment, and when this is passed capacity for work falls enormously. Its use is inconsistent with any work requiring quick, keen and alert judgment. Reviewing medical practices for a quarter of a century, Dr. Treves declares that he could say that the use of alcohol in hospitals and by physicians generally had emphatically diminished and is diminishing.

DO DUCKS COMMIT SUICIDE?

Several correspondents have written me outhing the question raised in my notes of counded ducks committing suicide. Four r five cases have been brought to my at-

or five cases have been brought to my attention of wounded ducks that have dived to the bottom and held fast to some object till they were dead. I do not for a moment dispute the fact; I only differ from my correspondents in my interpretation of the fact. My expianation of it is this: The wounded limb has but one impulse, and that is to hide from its enemy. If it werenouther in the water it dives, and in its death agony holds to some plant growth at the bottom. In all such cases the bird is no doubt mortally wounded, and dies quick. It. When it is not wounded unto death it want to make more doubt mortally wounded, and dies quick. It. When it is not wounded unto death it want to make the water, seeks the shore, creeps out vivery cautiously and ries to escape in that way. The intent of deliberate sulface is, of course, absurd—John Burroushs, in Odling.

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Organ-Adagio Merkel
Venite Ice
Psalms for the 4th Day Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum Lawes
Jubilate Ouseley
Hymn 606 Organ-Adaglo

Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Matins and ermon at 11, holy communion at 12, chil-iren's service at 3, evensong and sermon at . The following is the music: Morning.

Kyrie Touus Peregrinus
Communion Hymn 323
Organ Voluntary
Evening. Organ Voluntary ...

Psaims Cathedral Psaiter
Magnificat Barnby
Nunc Dimittis S John
Hymns 147, 130 and 300
Vesper Hymn M. S.
Organ Voluntary

ST. BARNABAS'S.

Preacher, the rector. Services: Holy eucharist at 8 a. m.; matins at 10.30 a. m.; choral eucharist at 11 a. m., subject, "The Ascension"; evensong at 7 p. m. The music

0	Introit 140
3	Communion 32
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3	Post Communion 140
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1	Evening.
9	Psalms-As Set
9	Magnificat 366
9	Nune Dimittle 100
9	Hymns 506, 147 and 149
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CHURCH OF OUR LORD. Morning prayer at 11 o'clock, with ser-mon by Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge. Holy com-munion at noon. Evening prayer at 7 as issual, but instead of a zerimon, there will be a programme of sarced songs. The

Organ-Andante Hayd
Venite and Psalms-As Set
Te Deum-XXXIV Merce
Benedictus-VII Merce
Benedletus-VII Merce Anthem-O, Risen Lord Barnh
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Kyrle-XXI Merce
Hymns 233 and 2
Evening.
Organ-Angelus Bruce Steam
Psalms-As Set 1
Magnificat-IX Garrel
Nune Dimittis X Garret
Anthem-O, Risen Lord Barnb
Hymns 242, A. & M., 230, 245 and 24
Anthem-Christ Hath Not Entered
Solo, Mrs. Hinton; Solo, Mr. Kingham.
Anthem-He Is Risen
Trio-Hearts Feel That Love Thee

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN.

Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The preacher in the morning will be Rev. G. K. B. Adams, of the Metropolitan Methodist church, and in the evening, the paster, Rev. W. Leule Clay, R. A. Sunday

The above illustrates the rapid growth of Foot Eim. Merit wins with Canadians. 2 or 3 years ago the country was full of initations of this most wonderful remedy for all kinds of foot roubles. The ever-inreasing popularity of the original remedy. Foot Eim, has almost entirely driven these imitations off the market, and to-day if

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t is very seldom that you are annoyed with the old "Just as good" plea of those who want to make a little extra profit out of an

Evening. ary-Voix Scriphlque Maunder

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Anthem—The Pilgrims of the Night Nichol
Soptano Obligato, Miss Jennie Bishop,
Hymns Solo—Through the Day Bichardson
Mrs. W. E. Stancland.
Voluntary (Chorus)—And He Shall Purity
Handel

Dr. Campbell, the pastor, will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. Y. P. S. C. E. meets at 10 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30. Music as follows:

Psaim 23

Hymns 545, 265 and 129

Anthem—How Beautiful Upon the Mountains Smith

Soprano and Alto Duet, Mrs. Gregoon and

Mrs. Maynard; Tenor and Bass Duet,

Mr. Gordon and Mr. Brown.

Rev. D. MacRae, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the pastor. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at the morning service.

METROPOLITAN METHODIST. Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B. A., of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, will occupy the pulpit at 11 a. m., and the pastor, Rev. G. K. B. Adams, at 7 p. m. A splendid musical service under the direction of Gideon Hicks. Ulasses, 10 a. m. Sunday school and Hibbe classes at 2.30 p. m. Everybody

JAMES BAY METHODIST.

The pastor, Rev. G. W. Dean, will occupy

VICTORIA WEST METHODIST.

On Sunday the paster, R. J. Meintyre, will have charge of the services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30 in the afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend all these services,

EMMANUEL BAPTIST.

Rev. E. Le Roy Dakin, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Subjects, "Inspiration," and sixth in New Life series. Bible school at 2.30. Everybody welcome.

CALVARY BAPTIST.

The pastor, Rev. J. F. Vichert, M. A., will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Law of Increase"; evening, "There is No Difference." The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will follow the evening service. Sunday achool and Bible class, 2.30 p. m. B. Y. P. U., Monday, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m.

BURNSIDE BAPTIST.

service in the mission, Tennyso

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL

PIRST CONGREGATIONAL.

Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
The pastor, Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B. A.,
will conduct both services. Morning sermon, "Christ's Appearance to the Doubting
Apostle"; evening, first of a series on the
theme, "Some Happy People Whom: I
Know-The Man Who Works," Bible school
at 2.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Society at 8.15
p. m. All seats free. You are cordially invited.

UNIVERSAL BROTHERHOOD UNIVERSAL BROTHERHOOD.
Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical
Society, Centre No. 87, holds a public meeting at 28 Broad street every Sunday evening at 28 o'clock, when short addresses are
delivered and questions answered. Subjects for 15-morrow: "What We Miss
Through Seißshness"; "Justice and Rebirth." Questions are invited from the

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Church of Christ (Christians, disciples) meets at 3 Taunton street. Preaching by Madison Wright. Lord's day: 11 a. m., Lord's Supper; subject, "The Lord's Sup-per," I Cor. xi., 17-34. At 7 p. m., "The Sure Foundation," 2 Th., 11-19. Special services each evening throughout the week at 8 o'clock. All are invited to come to each service.

CONFETTI,

If the confetti thrown in the streets of Paris during carnival and the mid-Lent feetlysis agere placed end on end they would make a ribbon that would circle the earth sixty times, or cover eix times the distance which separates the earth from the moon, or build a cottage 63,000 times higher than the Eiffel Tower. A confetti-making machine produces 256,000 of the little colored discs per minute, or 15,380,000 per hour, representing a weight of 100 pounds. To give an idea of the importance of the trade in confetti it may be mentioned that one manufacturer sells 1,000,000 pounds of confett of various kinds per annum, of which he exports 1,200,000 pounds.

HOW THE PERSIANS DINE.

Here is a description of a Persian dinner. The feast is preceded by pipes, while tea and, sweets are handed about. Then the servants of the house appear, bringing in a long leather sheet, which they spread in the middle of the floor. The guests squat around this, tailor fashion. When all are seated, a flat leaf of bread is placed before every one, and the music begins to play. The various dishes are brought in on trays and arranged round the leather sheets at intervals. The covers are then removed, the host says 'Blamillan' (in the name of God), and without another word they all fall to London Globe.

The annual reappearance in the British House of Commions of the bill legalizing marriage with a deceased wife's sister brings to mind Walter Bagehot's account of the history of the act preventing such unions. Its originator was the famous Lord Lyndhurst, the Tory leader during the long period of Whig supremacy at the beginning of the last century, Lyndhurst was a great lawyer and a great special pleader, "but" says Bogehot, "he had ne principles; he did not care to have opinions. He regarded politics as a game to be played first for himself and then for his party."

Bagehot was very accurate in his historical tracts, and there doubtless is no reason to disbelieve his account of the deceased wife's sister legislation. The real object of the act, he says, was to please certain particular people who had married their sisters in law, and as it stands to this day it legalizes all antecedent marriages. As it was originally brought in, it legalized subsequent marriages also. Persons conversant with the clergy and other strict people represented to Lord Lyndhurst that there would be an outery against this. He replied, "Put it the other way then; forbid the future marriages. I am sure I don't care which way it is." He wanted to serve a temporary purpose, and he did so always, as is to be seen by reading many of his speeches quoted in his "life."

It seems curious that a law, which by its advocates—notably Lord Hugh Cecil—is regarded as being—both—decrinal and sacramental should have been originated thus to serve the interests of a few particularists. The King, then Prince of Wales, voted for its repeat, and most Canadians will hold that His Majesty was on the side of commonsense, morality and social progress.—Canadian Magazine.

SALT MARSHES OF CONGO.

The sait marshes of the Congo region are the sait marsies of the considerable number in the district of Sambalt, and there are also many of these marshes on the left bank of the River Lutubu. In general they resemble a kind of pocket or rift in the soil. The walls of the rift show first a layer of blackwalls of the rift show first a layer of blackish clay mixed with sand and containing
numerous quarts and silex pebbles, or more
exceptionally black and white shells, fragments of oyater and mussel. Then comes a
layer of caratified and gray-blue schist. The
soil of the depression also contains schist
as the greater constituent, and is covered
by a layer of sandy clay. In order to collect
the sait, the natives dig a funnel-shaped
ho'e from six to ten feet in diameter, and
about three feet deep. The cavity seonfits up with a warm and clear water which
is strongly charged with sait. It comes up
with considerable pressure, and the liquid
seems to boil. The salt is partly precipitated at the bottom of the cavity, and mixes
with the soil to form a blackish mud. The
latter is washed out with hot water to extract the salt, which is then crystalliged
from the solution. The product which is
thus obtained is of a saity gray color. Its
taste is more alkaline than that of European saif.

A GYPSY TRICK.

It is presumed that a day or so before there could have been found in a gypsy camp not far away a broken-winded and weather-beaten plug of a horse worth perhaps six pounds in open market. Then began such a grooming, clipping, polishing and doctoring as must rank among the fine arts. Mane and tail were miracles of braiding, intertwined with fresh straw and fetchingly beribboned. Into the crowded willess was

fully escorted, too valuable, forsooth, to be put up for sale. After the horse was tied near a popular public house, three or four roatics strolled up to the owner of the beast, who looked to be all "hayseed." They looked the "bargain" over, shook their heads in disappointment that no dickering was possible, and drifted into the taproom of the "pub." Presently other farmers pricked up their ears and wanted to see the horse. And so it went on until the cleverly disguised gypsies who made up the original bunch of "rustics" had created a strong undercurrent of interest setting toward the transformed "plug."

The first show of cash came from among those masquerading farmers, whose identity lurked only in the midnight eye and shifty giance with the true gypsy slant in the corner of it. And after hours of palaver, over many mugs of beer, it was one of these "made-up" Hodges who closed the deal, bought the horse and paid for it in escentailous, severnigns. The gunning farmer, of whom the bait was east, could not withstand this evidence of a "rare bargain," and was the more cager now that it had slipped out of his grasp. Therefore it was not long before the "fake" buyer was offered a bonns of one pound to let go of his purchase, held out for two pounds, and gotilt, and vanished as if on wings.—Outing.

The teacher had been talking to the class about the rhinoceros family.

"Now, can you name some things," said he, "which are very dangerous to approach, and which have horns?"

"Motor-cars!" replied little Jimmre, promptly.

A TRAGEDY OF POMPEH.

Girl's Skeleton Found Laden With Gold and Precious Stone

A peasant found at Pompeli recently a girl's skeleton laden with splendid antique gold, emérald and pearl bracelets, necklet and earrings. The skeleton was covered with ashes, and its position shows that the girl was overtaken by fire while in flight,

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regiment and the acceptance was mailed Wednesday.

"The date was set at the solicitation of the Americans, although it is inconvenient to the local team for the reason that three of the best shots of the regiment will be at Bisley, viz., Capt. Forrest, Capt. Stant and Lieut. Boult.

"Brigadier-General Drain, Adjutant-General of the Washington National Guard, Olympia, wishes that the match may become an annual affair.

"The match, if one can be arranged, is to be shot under conditions phincipally as follows: The teams to consist of ten men each, ten shots to be fired at each range of 200, 500, 600, 800, 900 and 1,000 yards. Firing may be from any position with the head fronting the farget. The teams are to be made up of men enrolled in the respective corps on or before January 1st, 1906. Competitors are to use in the match the rille with which their respective regiments are armed at the time of the match. British Columbial Rifle Association rules are to govern the contest where applicable.

"The Vancouver team will be nicked.

"The Vancouver team will be picked upon the result of the aggregate shooting done by the mer of the Duke's Own during the matches of the British Columbia Rifle Association, which will be held at the Richmond range on July 20th, 21st and 22nd."

In all probability a member of the Fifth Regiment Rifle Association will be requested to referee this competition.

Members of the local militia signalling corps will be interested in the following taken from the Canadian Military Ga

corps will be interested in the following taken from the Canadian Military Gazette:

"In the highly intricate and technical work of warfare on modern lines, the field telegraph, the telephone, the wire-less and the signal, all find a place. In this marvelous age of scientific progress it is dangerous to predict just how long any particular method may be considered up-to-date and useful, but whatever may be the fate of the others, the last mentioned, the signal, is bound to siay. The reason is obvious. It is a method of communication for short distances without the necessity of heavy apparatus or deeply skilled operators. The signal by flug, and the signal by flug, and the signal by flug, and the signal by flug and the signal

"It would indeed be a good faint row "It would indeed be a good (ninc Pow that presumably the men at the schools are in a position to instruct, if some special inducements were offered, to say three or four men per regiment, to take a six months' course in the fall and winter months. These, on returning to their regiments, could in turn be instructors, and in this way we would soon have a fair number of men well instructed in this very necessary art."

"Australia is setting an example to

and in this way we would soon have a few for the number of men well instructed in this very necessary art."

"Australia is setting an example to the Empire which the Motherhand would do well to follow as soon as possible, said the lead. The Common wealth is about ever provided the lead. The Common wealth is about ever pulsory course of education in primary and the control of the

"Steps have been taken to put the gunnery of our destroyer flotillas upon a more satisfactory footing. So much is heard about their torpedoes that one is apt to forget the guns they carry. Yet the skilful handling of these twelve and eix-pounders might mean much in a fight. This toad of blazing off a certain tumber of rounds at given intervals, the destroyers are to have their yearly hattle practice, just as battleships and cruisers have. Practice will be carried out at 1.000 yards for the twelve-pounders, and 500 yards for the twelve-pounders, and the man behind the gun will get off as many rounds as he can in one minute. A target six feet by eight is to be used, and only direct hits will count. The institution of these yearly competitions is certain to have a good effect in improving the gunnery of the flotillas; but it does seem curious that whilst so much attention—though none too much—is given to handling guns, comperatively little is devoted to improving torpedo work."—Pall Mall Gazette.

For the benefit of riflemen who have not been following the proceedings of

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the city council closely, advantage is taken of this opportunity to announce that the corporation's fifty dollar trophy for competition at the annual B. C. R. A. matches, which was formerly won outright, has been replaced.

VERNON GOSSIP.

The Coldstream ranch is planning an extensive irrigation, scheme, by which the water from Jones's creek will be used to serve some 3,200 acres of land from the 11-Mile post down the valley, and taking in the ranches of Gaunt Bross, Applegarth, Freeman, R. Gillespie, Lavington ranch, etc. The proposed irrigation works will cost from \$40,000 to \$550,000.

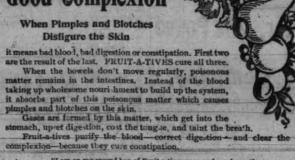
tion works will cost from \$40,000 to \$50,000.

"A very interesting operation was performed at the Vernon Jubilee hospital on Monday, when 242 pieces of skin, approximating a split pear in size, or about 15 sq. in. in the aggregate, were grated upon the left arm, shoulder and side of Katie Graham, daughter of Jas. Graham, of Enderby, the little girl who was so badly burned some time, ago. The skin used in the operation was furnished by Miss Emma Falkard, and of the patient, whose fortitude and bravery in enduring the pain occasioned, without the use of, chloroform or any other anaesthetic, excited the wondering admiration of the surgeon and attendant nurse. The skin obtained was dotted over the surface, and will eventually cover the injured parts."—News.

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12. Lumber.

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All supplies are subject to the approval of the Warden of Jaller.

All tenders submitted must specify clearly the institution, or institutions, which it is proposed to supply, and must bear the endorsation of at least two responsible surelies.

Papers inserting the

DOUGLAS STEWART,
GEO. W. DAWSON.
Inspectors of Penitentiaries.
Department of Justice,
Ottawa, May 10th, 1906.



of land made to Volheirs or assigns, under authority of this Act, are subject to the condition that such lands shall have been selected by the grantees on or before the first day of July, 1905. Notice is, therefore, hereby given that applications for such lands must be filed at a Government Office by that date.

R. F. GREEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B, C., 28th May, 1905.

TENDERS FOR GRASS

Notice is hereby given that I intend by apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, at their next sitting as a Licensing Court, for a transfer of my license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail upon the premises situate at the southwest corner of Bianchard and Johnson streets, in the City of Victoria, and known as the Klondike Hotel, to William Jordan.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 1905.

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Victorie, B. C., May 9th, 1905.

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Victoria, B. C., May 31st, 1903.





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Wm. T. Hardaker, Auctioneer

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Report Furnished by the Victori Meteorological Department.

June 3 .- 5. a. m .- Weather c Victoria, June 3.—5. a. m.—Weather conditions are somewhat unsettled on the
North Pacific slope and in the Canadian
Northwest; thunderstorms have occurred at
Spokane, Edmonton and Qu'Appelle, and
showers on Yancouver Island and the
Lower Mainland, and heavier rain in the
adjoining states of Oregon and California.
East of the Rockies an area of low pressure covers the Territories, causing rainfall both in Alberta and Manitoba.

Processes.

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday.
Victoria and vicinity—Winds chiefly westerly, mostly cloudy and cooler, with occashowers. er Mainland-Westerly winds, cloudy

and cooler, with showers.

Reports.

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Victoria-Barometer, 20.85; temperature, 20; minimum, 50; wind, 20 miles S. W.; rain, .01; weather, cloudy.

New Westminster-Barometer, 20.80; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, calm; rain, frace; weather, rain.

Kamloops-Barometer, 20.82; temperature, 62; minimum, 60; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Barkeryille-Barometer, 20.84; tmeperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, fair, fair.

er, fair.

San Francisco-Barometer, 30.03; temmerature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles
W.; weather, clear.

Edmonton-Barometer, 29.70; temperature, 56; minimum, 56; wind, calm; ralu,
.00; weather, cloudy.

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The Umbria has twenty officers, and is commanded by Captain Corsi Comillo. Second in command is Capt. de Luca Carlo, while the lieutenants, sub-lieutenants and chiefs of different departments follow: Manzoni Guidobaldo, Oricchio Mario, Caracciolo di Forino Tristano, Rameri Biscia, Albertelli Filippo, Roesler Franz Luígi, Dongo G. Batta, Coda Raffaele, Luzzati Alfredo, and Voipe Alfonso.

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RUMORED TRANSFER OF SOUND VESSELS

Princess Victoria's Service Has Been Classified Under Coasting Regulations -- Along Waterfront.

A report comes from Puget Sound - to the effect that the steamers Rosalie and Whatcom have again changed hands, this ime being transferred to what is known s the International Steamship Com roperty of the Puget Sound Navigation ompany, but were last year turned over to the Alaska Steamship Company. The object of this last transfer is not apparent at the present writing, nor is it known what bearing the deal will have on the recent arrangement entered into ers and the C. P. R. Company.

This agreement was a mutual one en It provided for the temporary withdrawal of the Princess Beatrice from the route until the first of the present month, the Princess Victoria and the suspension of operations, in so far as the Victoria end is concerned, by the owners of the

end is concerned, by the owners of the Alaska Steamship Company during the coming winter months. By the arrangement, too, a standard passenger rate, was fixed, and all has gone merrily until the present, at least as far as appearances go. Both companies have a pretty good knowledge of how the working of the new system goes now, and if the reported transfer brings about any changes it will doubtless be made known very shortly.

The exact nature of the agreement en-

The exact nature of the agreement entered into between the two companies has never been made known, except in so far as it applies to the working of the ships, but it is thought that the contract has no real permanecy—that it is a mere mutual understanding reached between the different parties.

The Alaska Steamship Company own a large fleet of steamers, and significance attaches to the present transfer from the fact that the Rosalie and Whatcom were the only steamers operated on the Victoria run. The Whatcom has now to compete with the Princess Victoria, and that her owners keenly feel such competition can hardly be gainsaid.

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IN COASTING SERVICE.

It is probable that after all Capt. Hickey will be installed in command of the steamer Princess Victoria. Capt. Troup was informed by wire from Ottaw last evening that the minister of marine decus a coasting license sufficient for the purpose, and it is likely that instructions will accordingly be transmitted to the shipping master. This will put, an end to the present differences between that official and the C. P. R. Company to any and will classify the service of the shown through the vessel during those hours.

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Let Logan, May 31st; No. 277, Gr. Harry E. Coates, May 20th.

The regiment will parade at the drill hall on Sanday, June 11th, at 10 a. m. No leave will be granted from this parade. Dress, field day order. Forage caps to be carried on right shoulder strap. Great coats bandered. About a month was spent in San Francisco. At Mare Island she was put in the dry dock and thoroughly renovated.

This morning a representative of the Times boarded the Umbrina and was received with the utmost courtesy. Capt.

The master of the francisco capt.

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put, an end to the present differences between that official and the C. P. R. Company, and will classify the service of the Princess Victoria as being in the coasting trade.

It will be remembered that the contention of Mr. Laird was that the ship being British and running foreignwise in connection with Seattle, should have a master with a British certificate. This stand shipiping men generally believed would not be endorsed.

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As noon as the repairs to H. M. S. Egeria are completed the ship will return to the survey work which she was forced to temporarily abandon because of the accident. The vessel struck a rock which was marked on the chart at a depth greater than that in which the ship found it. It was therefore the unreliability of the chart which was responsible.

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Forces, had followed the lead of Great Britain to a certain extent. His country, he said, was practically without representation, on the China coast, while the South American squadown had been reduced to three vessels. Outside of this almost all the warships stationed away, from home had been recalled. The entire naval force was being concentrated at Italian, ports, so that they would be at hand, when their assistance was required for the defence of the nation.

"Of course we have to keep a small fleet stationed in South America," continued Capt. Carlo, "as Italy has more extensive interests there than in any other part of the continent." He then went on to state that in the Argentine Republic there are in the neighborhood of 2,000,000 Italians, while in the city of Buenos Ayres alone 200,000 of his countrymen resided. This was sufficient extensive interests there than in any other part of the continent." He then went on to state that in the Argentine Republic there are in the neighborhood of 2,000,000 Italians, while in the city of Buenos Ayres alone 200,000 of his countrymen resided. This was sufficient extended in the neighborhood of 2,000,000 talians, while in the city of Buenos Ayres alone 200,000 of his countrymen resided. This was sufficient extended in the neighborhood of 2,000,000 the latest that in the Argentine Republic there are in the neighborhood of 2,000,000 talians, while in the city of Buenos Ayres alone 200,000 of his countrymen resided. This was sufficient extended in the neighborhood of 2,000,000 talians, while in the city of Buenos Ayres alone 200,000 of his countrymen resided. This was sufficient extended in the neighborhood of 2,000,000 talians, while in the city of Buenos Ayres alone 200,000 of his countrymen resided. This was sufficient extended in the country men resided. The present cruise of the Umbria, according to Capt. Carlo, is simply "To

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The present cruise of the Umbria, according to Capt. Cario, is simply "To see H. M. S. Bonaventure. She will remain here for several days. No definite date has been decided upon for her departure, as there are some repairs, such as painting, etc., which must be attended to before she continues her cruise of the North Pacific coast. The Umbria resembles H. M. S. Bonaventure to a considerable extent, although not as large and being manned by a smaller crew. She has a total complement of 280. She has a total complement of 280 she has a total complement of

CAMP ARRANGEMENTS

Fifth Regiment Will Parade at 10 a. m. Sunday, 11th Inst.-Promotions Approved.

Lieut.-Col. Hall, commanding Fifth Regiment, has issued the following

will be taken on the strength of the ment from the date hereafter mentio and will assume the regimental number posite their respective names; No. 207, Gr. E. Logau, May 31st; No. 277, Gr. Harry E. Coates, May 20th; No. 202, Gr. Arthur Penketh, May 20th.

ever, that it had been the original intention to dock at Esquimalt, but the decision was altered when ample facilities were discovered at the port mentioned. Continuing, Capt. Carlo remarked upon the fact that there were no British vessels in port. He supposed that the new regulations introduced by the admiralty had resulted in the recalling of the Esquimalt squadron. Although he acknowledged that the withdrawal of these vessels would probably hurt the immediate vicinity from a commercial point of view, he was of the opinion that the change was entirely justified. Concentration, he said, was most important in modern warfare. It was absolutely no use having a strong fleet if it was located at widely separated points. A system was required by which the vessels would be available at the shortest possible notice in case of emergency. Therefore he considered that the British admiralty had acted wisely.

He went on to point out that the Italian government, impressed with the necessity of concentration of navail

UNITED WORKERS CLAIM RIGHT TO NEGOTIATE

New Phase of Trouble at Nanaimo Company Said to Have Offered a Compromise.

(Special to the Times.)

no, June 3.—The mining trouble re seems to have taken a new owing to the rivalry between the Mine Workers and the Western Federaly in the majority, claim that the co though treating with the smaller organi ation. The strike now appears to be for

the recognition of the union.

The Mine Workers this morning posted a warning notice requesting members to refuse to attend meetings in connection with the present troubles unless called by the secretary of the association, which is now waiting to hear from the company regarding negotiations for a settlement.

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'ane United Mine Workers secured a
hundred new members yesterday evening,
bringing up the membership to five bundred, and wants to conduct all the ne-

dred, and wants to conduct all the negotiations.

It transpires that previous to the Mine Workers stepping in the company offered the underground workers' committee a compromise to the effect that they would provide transportation to Protection if the underground men paid three cents a day, or if only the men who went by way of Protection paid five cents a day.

The underground committee were to have called a meeting to submit this on Thursday night, but dropped out when the United Mine Workers said they alone would manage the negotiations.

__tanager Stockett, of the Western Fuel Company, went to Vietoria to-day.

CAUSING ANXIETY.

No News Has Been Received Regarding Yacht Apache Since Morning of May 22nd.

(Associated Press.)

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New York, June 3.—The Tribune says:
"Friends of Edmund Randelph, the owner of the barque-rigged auxiliary yacht Apache, which salled from Sandy Hook lightship at noon on May 17th in the race for the German Emperor's cup, are beginning to be anxious for her safety, for all the other yachts have finished and the Apache has not been sighted since she was last reported by the steamer Columbia at 7 o'clock on the morning of May 22nd. It was then in lat. 40.29 N., long. 50.50 W.

"Besides Mr. Randolph, her owner, the Apache has on board Royal Phelps Carroll, an old yachtsman, formerly owner of the sloop Nāvahoe; Ralph N. Ellis, another well known yachtsman, who will also be remembered as master of the Meadowbrook Hounds; Stuyevesant Leroy, R. Burnside Potter, W. Gordon Fellows, Joseph Harreman and Dr. Watson B. Mortis.

"J. B. McDonell is captain of the yacht, and he has a crew of some 35 men.

"The Apache was formerly the White Heather, a British yacht built in Glaagow."

DOTTAWA NOTES.

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me Who Are Mentioned as British Columbia Representatives on the Fishery
Commission.

(Special to the Times.) (Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, June 3.—Among those mentioned or represent British Columbia on the fishries commission are J. C. Brown, Campell Sweeny and either Chief Justice Huntr or Richard Hall.



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In the Saturday Evening Post appears a short story by Vincent Harper, of this city. The scene is laid in Victoria and Vancouver Island. It is entitled "Taken at the Flood."

The steamer Iroquois is offering a splendid opportunity for tourists to see the Gulf islanda. The fare for the trip is only \$1. The steamer connects with the Victoria Terminal train from Victoria

of building can go on.

—This morning Mr. Walter Anderson and Miss Agnes Harris were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. A. E. Wade, Russell street, Victoria West. The ceremony was perfended by Rev. W. Leslie Clay. Only the immediate friends of the bride and groom were present at the ceremony, which was performed at a very early hour in order to permit of the bridal couple taking the Princess Victoria on the initial stage of the honeymoon trip. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will spend some time in the East before returning to Victoria to take up their residence.

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W. Main and Miss Maud Purdy.

WINTOSH-LAW-At Vernon, on May 25th,
by Rev. J. H. Wright: Daulel John Melatesh and Josephine Law.

ENOX-DICKSON—At Vancouver, on June
lat, by Rev. R. J. Wilson, Dr. W. J.

KNOX and Miss Janet Isabella Dickson
MYPHERSON-GOSLINE—At Vancouver, on,
June 1st, by Rev. R. J. Wilson, John
Peter McPherson and Miss Mary Gosline.

VICTORIA, B. C., SATURDAY JUNE 3, 1905.

London, May 11.—Admirers of Mr. Chamberlain were glad to see that he had so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to be present at so important a function as the banquet of the London School of Tropical Medicine. It is a recent illness as to be able to be present at so important a function as the banquet of the London School of Tropical Medicine. It is hardly too much to expect that me who are willing to devote their whole time to their profession should at least be allowed an income sufficient to maintain that position.

This year promises to be in all respects such bandly be emphasized. But too much temphasis cannot be put on the directors of Earl's court to have a naval exhibition. There are too importance were not munificent by any means. In the educational field it has trained over 500 students, not merely by lectures, but by actual demonstration of the plagues and fevers which annually rawage tropical countries; and are the scourge of the white man who has to spend bis life in these parts of the glone. Though the school so fat is but in the beginning of its scientific enquiries into tropical diseases, it has already shown how much the future will yield. Mr.

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with a distinguished audience to witness each performance. The park, too, is crowded with fashionable throngs in the afternoon, both walking and driving, as also in the morfing, when well known and prominent figures in the political and social world way be seen taking an early enter in the Row. The sudden change in the weather, from bleak winds and rain to bright, warm sunshine is responsible for an unusual amount of outdoor activity, and the traffic in the regions of Reget street. Bond street and surrounding neighborhoods is such as to appal even stoutest-hearted policeman, London is wearing her gayest garb, throwing aside for the nonce her wonted staidness of demeanor and hansoms timele past, motors whire onward and high-stepping carriage horses dash along through our West End thoroughfares, giving a pleasant air of bustic and excitement to our soher London streets that is quite a pelief after the dulluess of the winter.

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With the three-quarter length sleeves, gioves become of first importance, and it is not surprising that there should be a number of new and fauntatie designs. Whether they will "catch on" is quite another thing, for in the matter of hand an foot wear English people are very conservative, and any departure from the recognized forms in either hoots or gloves is not engerly adopted. The new long gloves have inserts of rare lice to the eibness, and superh enhanceders on such and kid; fewels even are occasionally introduced for ornamentation. There are also new designs in such and kid mittens, but these cannot be said to be altogether successful, and are not likely to be much worn. Many efforts have been made to make mittens popular, but they have always failed, the reason being, very likely, that so few people have hands pretty enough to show to advantage garbed in these dainty trifles. The most successful of the novelties in the glove line will be, one is inclined to think, those which have the long arms ornamented with a design of the much favored brokleric Anglaise. None of these new fashions have been adopted, so far; at least not by the multitude.

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During the past few weeks there have been many discussions on the subject of the crinolene, and feminius hearts have sunk at the thought of this much abhorded from the recepting furo favor, but there seems to be no foundation in fact for the rumor. It lead been whispered that this hideous fashion was introduced into some of the trousseaux gowns of the future Crown Princess of Germany, but Parisian dressmakers have set the feminine mind at rest on this point, and declare that such is not the case.

SETS THE TIME FOR CANADA.

Few people, even in Canada, realize the responsibilty resting upon the big timepeace in the observatory of McGill University, Montreal. Even the Ger-man ficet in the Azores set their time by it. The clock at McGill is compared at frequent intervals with the clocks at the Toronto and Washington observa-tories by means of telegraphic communithe Toronto and Washington observatories by means of telegraphic communication. As a rule, the signals from
Washington are slightly behind those
from Montreal, owing to the distance
between the two cities, but there have
been only about six occasions during the
past five years when there was a difference of over one second between the two
clocks.

The Canadian Pacific Ballyay Com-

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has an official timekeeper at a terminal points who corrects the watches of the trainmen on his division from the daily messages received from the McGill clock in Montreal. These passing through each repeater, and the time occupied on the wire itself is about 2-100 of a second. The actual time con-sumed between Montreal and Victoria, B. C., is about 15-144 of a second. The signal arrives at Victoria at 8.45 to 8.56 Victoria time.

The time signals at Canso, N. S., are automatically repeated to she Azore Islands in the Atlantic and the vessels of the German fleet receive them from the land. Also the time is signaled frequently to the British warships at Halifax and Victoria. Not so long ago, the warships at Esquimalt used to take their own time by observation, but, finding that the McGill time was always right, they now receive it from the Canadian Pacific telegraph. At Halifax, an operator sends the time signals to the islands of Jamaica and Bermuda, and from Victoria they are sent to the islands of the Pacific, where the Australian cable station is.

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The time is also signaled daily direct from the McGill observatory over the Grand Trunk system. The signals are sent from 11.57 until noon, "clicks" being sounded every account. On this rails way the wires are kept clear of all other business, while the time signals are being sent, as is the case with the Canadian Pacific.

It needs no further particulars to prove that should the McGill clock cease to perform its duties for ever so short a space of time, the consequences would be most embarrassing.

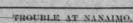


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PROTECTION ISLAND SHAFT

(Writen for The Times by C. McK. S.)

In the summer of 1869 the writer having heard that there was a large quantity of which plue timber on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, and knowing that lumber of that kind was in great domand in Sen Francisco, decided to go in search of it. In order to carry out the prospecting scheme it was necessary to charge a vessel to convey the party to the West Coast, as now necessary to charge a vessel to convey the party to the West Coast, as now necessary to charge a vessel to convey the party to the West Coast, as now necessary to charge a vessel to convey the party to the west coast, as now necessary to charge a contended by Captain the schemes runsing there at that time. The catyon is not very long, the limits about fifty or sixty feet wide in the marrowest place, with walls perpendent Claistensean, was chartered for the light, then slant off for some two hunting rous, suggested that it is governed appearance we should judge there also a next yo effect, and he would introduce me to the Indicate set of the captain the captain the captain the captain to a next yo effect or more higher, and from its governed appearance we should judge there also as a mivy man who came there to procure spars for the warships in Esquiting through it developed the respectation of the river is the captain the captain of the captain to a next yo effect, and he would introduce me to the Indicate the captain the captain of the captain the captain reaches of the invertence of the river, and when about a first of the captain the reachest in the streams, but in quartz leads as well. Having now satisfied our inner man we pushed our put the streams, but in quartz leads as well. Having now satisfied our internance of height, then slant off for some two hunting the limits for the captain to a next yo effect, and the reaction of the captain reaches of the stream, but in quartz leads as well. Having now satisfied our internance of height of the streams, but in quartz leads as well. Having now satisfied our internance of height of the streams, but

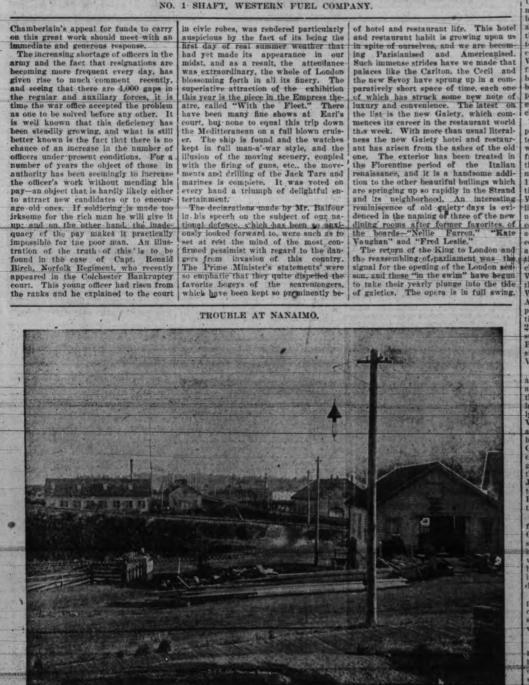




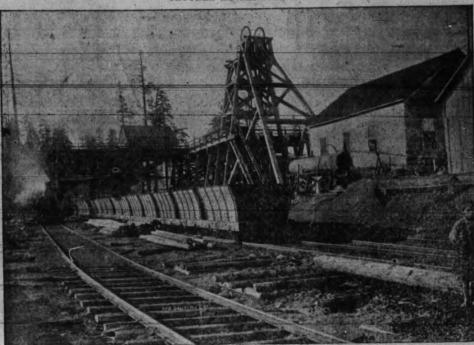
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rascais on the coast. Beware of him.

The China Indian tribe referred to in this article on the Unchaint river are a remnant of the China Indian tribe which originated at Nootka in 1789, and their history is as follows: Captain Meares, a traveller in furs between Canton and the Northwest coast, brought over from China: a number of Chinese ship carpenters to build a vessel for him at Nootka. When the vessel was finished and launched he named her the Northwest America, and she was the first vessel ever put together on the Northwest coast.

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On his return to Canton about one half of the Chinese, carpenters returned to their homes in China, while the other half remained at Nootka and took Indian women for wives. The Chinese Indian amalgamation in the course of years multiplied so rapidly that the Nootka Indians became fearful lest they become so numerous that eventually they would be overpowered by them, and in order to protect aemselves, as well as to stop their multiplication, made war on them, killing many, while those that escaped the massacre fied to the interior of the island and eventually located on the Uuchalat river, where we found their ranch.

In a survey of the Scottish lakes, a depth of 1,017 feet was reached in Loch Moray. This proves to be the deepest lake in the United Kingdom. Only seven deeper dakes are known in Europe, four being in Norway nd three in Italy.



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When the new \$35,000 building for the Hamilton Conservatory of Music was decided on and put under way, it was determined at the same time to refit and re-equip the institution in the most modern manner possible. Everything that has been purchased since has been after the most careful investigation, and especially has this been the case in the selection of musical instruments.

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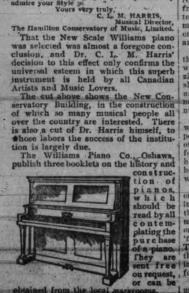
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The story of the wondestul thanking horse Hans, in Germany, whose performances resemble very much those of Trixie, lately seen at the Grand, in this city, is told in full in the May McClure's. His owner has spent four years on this horse's education, working 18 hours a day on his equine pupil, using the same processes that are applied to the young children in the Prussian schools.

Edward C. Heyn, who writes about Hans, made his acquaintance formally in

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Berlin.

"On the day I first saw Hans," he says, "I was formally presented to him, the Baron leading him up to me and saying distinctly:

"Hans, this is Mr. Heyn."

"Very happy to meet you, said I, but a glance at the grave face of the Baron assured me that it was no joke to him. Consequently I did not doff my hat as I had intended.

"Twenty-four hours later I saw the

had intended.

"Twenty-four hours later I saw the beast again, and on that occasion the Baron called the class in spelling. A large blackboard on which was drawn an alphabetical and numerical chart was placed before the horse.

"Will you be so good, said the Baron to me-without mentioning my name, amind you-as to approach the horse? I did so.

Uuchalat river, where we found the ranch.

Some years afterward they were attacked in their new home on the Uuchalat, and nearly all of them were slaughtered, and since that time they have been wanderers in the mountains, fearing to return to their homes.

Here we may remark that it is quite possible that the wild man reported to have been seen in the mountains is in all probability none other than one of these poor outcasts of the China Indian tribe, who was seen by a prospector and shot recently by an Indian, and not a white man as some persons have supposed him to be.

"Will you be so good, said the Baron to me-without mentioning my name, mid you—'as to approach the horse? I did so.

"Now, Hans, said the Baron, 'what is this gentleman's name?

"Hans stamped once, and then, after a pause, four time. At the intersection of the first vertical and the fourth horizontal lines was written the letter 'H.'

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Hans's preceptor, Baron von Osten, rejects all hypotheses involving training, suggestion, by more it that Hans thinks, independently and of himself.

To indicate numoers the animal stamps his forefoot once for each unit. When he wishes to say "yes" he turns his head to the right. A similar movement to the left indicates a negative.

"Now," said the Baron, addressing the stallion, "four multiplied by four equals seventeen, doesn't it?"

But Hans was not to be deceived. He stamped sixteem times—no more and not

ess.
"What is the Kaiser's birthday?" de-nanded the Baron. (It is Jan. 27.)
Hans stamped twenty seven time.
"What month?" inquired the Baron bleasantly.

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"Now, Hans." went on his instructor,
"how much must be added to twentythree to make twenty-seven?"
Hans stamped four times unerringly.
"What day of the month is it?"
Hans announced by his usual method
that it was the twenty-ninth. It was.
Hars occasionally does something
which, at the time, seems positively
startling. For example, Mr. H.-§n was
present once when the Baron, indicating
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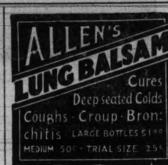
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"Later ou I taught him to recognize whole words by means of the letters composing them, care being taken to select only words spelled phonetically. Objects for which the swords so that he care the primary control of the construction of the construction of



almost inconceivable, and there were many disappointments, but his intelli-gence grew and grew until it reached the development that made the world hear

THE "SCRAP HEAP."

Tuesday. April 4th, saw the passing away of some 30 British warships of all classes, and thus the scrap-heap claims what, only a few years ago, was looked upon as a formidable fighting fleet. The Severn, built at Chatham in 1885 at a cost of £212.621, brought £7,500 as scrap iron; while the Australia and Galatea, launched at Glasgow in 1888 and 1889 respectively, at a cost of £29,390 each, brought the insignificant sum of £11,000 each only. The pick of the lot was, without doubt, the Warspite, which, after a spirited bidding, was sknocked down for £18,150. The whole 30 sold realized a total of £138,120—not the price of a single cruiser! And yet better one cruiser that can fight than 30 that would only act the part of death-traps in price of a single cruiser? And yet better ome cruiser that can fight than 30 that would only act the part of death-traps in the time of war. The pathetic fate of the Russian gunboat Mandjur, at the commencement of hostilities in the Far East, was an example we could ill afford to ignore, and there is little doubt that this had something to do with the decision to scrap-heap such a number of our own ships. The fear-expressed in some quarters of these ships falling into the hands of a possible enemy and being ultimately used against us is idle, as the boilers, engines and steampipes of each were mutilated before passing into the hands of the purchaser. If any European power is foolish enough to try and fight us with our own obsolete ships so much the worse for that power.

supply is at its very height—long before it is cold or the grass and weed seeds and resects begin to get scarce. In many cases, too, the young birds of the year, who have never left their homes before, lead the long procession in the great southward flight and are followed later by their parents.—St. Nicholas.

Outside the polar regions there remain unexplored, it is estimated, about one stitled of the find surface of the globe Fifteen years ago the unknown portion were about one-eighth of the earth's total

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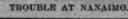
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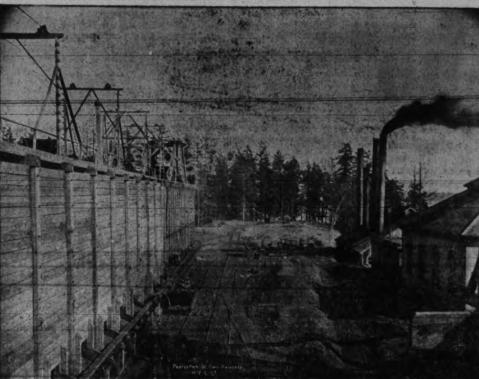
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FOR SUNDAY READING

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON said: "Why weepest thou?" she did not comprehend: He had to call her by name before she understood. VICTORY OUT OF DEFEAT. All the sweet adjectives that love become a loved one are not so mening.

The international Sunday school lesson for June 4th is "The Resurrection," John xx., 11-23.

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The story opens with a woman weeping by a grave. A familiar enough scene, truly; women weep because they have borne most of the world's suffering. The vicariousness of womanhood is at once a great sorrow and a great glory. Tears are oftenest caused by death; there are worse griefs than this one, but over it we weep most. The mystery the silence and the separa-

rion of death stir the heart's deep fountains.

This woman had best cause for weeping. In the grave beside which she stood had been buried the body of her Healer, her Teacher, her best Friend; the personal loss was beyond measure. And in the tomb also had been laid away the hopes of a band of eager disciples, hopes for the redemption of Israel and for a new reign of rightgous. The first preacher of the full gospel was a woman. To Mary it was given to utter the word in the world. On Jesus these friends had builded everything; with Him in the grave the house of their hopes had toppled about their howed heads, Now at dawn Mary and the other women had come—the alertness of love is woman's—bearing spices for their dead; the cold body of their Lord was all that they expected, but God is always doing better than His childred expect or think. Mary and the women entered upon a new state that day which has been bequeathed to all womanhood since. As Mrs. Browning sang:

"Not she with traitorous kiss her Master stung;

Not she denied Him with unfaithful tonguer. She, when apostice fied, could danger brave, Last at His cross, and earliest at His grave."

Mat Is in a Name.

Jesus is never beyond the reach of the tears of His friends; He could not even the horizontal days and the condition of the disciples would been conquered. Men need no longer be prisoners to dread and fear. A new attitude toward life and death had been created. Theneforward the disciples would go forth as thousands since have done, facing even martyrdom songfully. The world's wonderment, "Behold, how these Christians die!" would be a new gateway to the kingdom. The resurrection hope is the capstone of the edifice of Chris-

by though she knew not the mearness. Christ often comes when eyes are holden, and the comfort that He gives is not always recognised as from Him. Mary thought she was seeking help from the gardener; but it was the Lord. Even when He tenderly

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MRS. EATON RECOVERING, ALTHOUGH HER PHYSICIAN SAID SHE MIGHT DROP DEAD AT



"The Doctor told me I had heart discase and was liable to drop on the street at any time," says Mrs. Robert Eaton, of Dufferin, Ont.
"My trouble began four years ago with a weak heart. I was often afraid to draw my breath, it pained;

a weak heart. I was often afraid to draw my breath, it pained me so. I was bother. Mrs. Robert Eaton. ed with nervousness, shortness of breath, dizziness, loss of appetite, smothering and sinking spells, and I could not sleep. "Sometimes a great weakness would seize me and I would have to lie down to keep from falling. My hands and feet would seem to go to sleep and a sort of numbness would come all over me and perhaps immediately after the blood, would rush to my head and a series of hot flashes would envelop me.

"I took all kinds of medicines, but kept gradually growing worse until about eight weeks ago, when I began using Dr. Leonhardt's Anti-Pill. From the start I improved until now my appetite has returned, I can sleep well, and have no nervousness, dizziness, palpitation, faintness or any of my other troubles. They have all entirely disappeared. I feel much stronger, look better, and altogether Anti-Pill has made a new woman of me.

All the sweet adjectives that love be-stows upon a loved one are not so meaning-ful as the personal, familiar name, with the melting tenderness and deep significance that may be put into it. So when Jesus turned and said, "Mary," she knew Him instantly; no one else could pronounce her name like that. The Good Shepherd calls His sheep by name, and each is, as Mary was, a beloved personality.

in a transport of rapture she would have fining herself at His feet and clung to Him, but the Master restrained her; the risen Lord did not keep the same intimacy of human relations as before; He had new powers and new work. Mary, too, had an immediate mission; she could not sit and adore, for the brethren awaited the glorious news, "He is risen!"

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they had seen the Lord. Probably it was in the large upper room, fragrant with memories of Jesus, that they had gathered, waiting for they scarcely knew what, but drawn together by their common grief, there was no dissension of striving for place among them now, and their hearts were peculiarly tender toward one another. ware poculiarly tender toward one another.

The doors were shut, for, deprived of their Leader, they were a timid band. All of a sudden, and mysteriously, Jesus appeared in their midst, in His old familiar form. The resurrection body, no longer bound by the limitations of the material body, went wherever it pleased, unimpeded by the old hindrances. But it was still the very same Jesus, with identity unchanged.

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This He proved by showing to the hesitant and fearful disciples the wounds of the cross. The Saviour has marks by which we may know him, even as has His disciples. No need to wear chosses or badges to advertise one's self a Christian, for as surely as the hand of the King is on the horses and stores of the British government, so the marks of the Lord Jesus characterize His true friends. Would you know such? Then look for the spear wound of sacrifice on his heart, the nail prints of service on his hands and his feet; and the thorn scars of humility on his brow. These are the true tokens of the Christ-spirit within. On the other hand. "The mark of the beast is number one"; selfishness betokens another ownership than Christ's.

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of men.

After the salutation came the sending,
"As the Father bath sent Me, even so send
I you." As a boy in the temple, when met
in the upper room with the twelve and even
as He hung on the cross, the uppermost
thought of Jesus was of His mission. The
Father's sending—that was His life's purpose and passion. Nothing could turn Him
aside from it—friends, enemies, ease or suffering; the will of God with its divine commission, was the one supreme, insistent, unaiterable fact in His life.

As an equipment for this mission, which

As an equipment for this mission, which He bequeathed to the disciples, Jesus breathed upon them and said, "Receive ye the Holy Spirit." He was going away; the Spirit would stand to them in His stead. They would be sufficient for all things, he cause of the divine Enabler.

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Terse comments upon the uniform prayer meeting topic of the Young People's Societies — Christian Endeavor, Epworth League, Baptist Young People's Union, etc.

-for June 4th, "The Making of a Christian; Helping One Another," Eph. iv., 1-6; Heb. x., 24, 23.

By William T. Ellis.

who want to excel in the fashion of the hour, to find pleasure, to receive praise, to get all that is possible, and to give the least. Now the foolishness of this choice is to be seen written over the faces and lives of people whom we meet daily; they confessedly have missed earth's best things, and they know not the meaning of peace and satisfaction.

The consensus of opinion of the men and women who best understand the world and human nature is that the wisest programme of living, the way to the greatest contentment, usefulness and abiding pleasure, is to be as helpful to other men as possible. The world best loves and longest remembers the people who have served it most. It forgets its masters, but remembers its servants. Immortality of indusce belongs to those who have freely poured out their lives in helpfulness to their fellow men.

Robinson Crusoes are very rare; even he was dependent upon the labors of others than himself. Man cannot live alone; he needs his fellow men, for their labor as well as for their fellowship. Absolute independence is aimost impossible in this world; the fabric of society is so interwoven that each life is dependent upon the other. To this fact a person may as well make up his mind. Assured that he he closely bound up in the bundle of life with people, he should be ambitious to be as useful to all the other lives he touches as possible. It is good to make the world glad that you live in it.

"However rich a man is," said Joseph Parker, "he cannot do without some other

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Christianity is not a religion of negative lives of other men." There must be a self teachings and negative characters; all such misrepresent it. The risen Christ brought into the world a new force. When he entered the room where they were gathered on Resurrection Day He found His disciples fearful and cowering; He left them brave and courageous. The dominant personalities of the time were soon these feeble Christians. Boldness became their outstanding characteristic. They grew to be ploneers in aggressiveness. Without fear, and in stupendous faith, they challenged the proposed of the great and considerate. Only strong souls, like Jeans and Paul, are capable of the great and effective self-sacridce such as was their gift and teaching to men.

The best gift a man can give to the race is to be his best self; thereby he helps others to be their best selves, which is the highest office of friendship.

A father sometimes shows highest consideration for his boy's welfare when he per-

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nits him to suffer hardship. Many a swim-mer thanks the friend who first threw him werboard. It is not by bearing others' pardens that we best help them, but by helping them to bear their own.

Christ served the world both by hearing cross and by giving it a cross to bear.

a cross and by giving it a cross to hear.

Says Dr. Washington Gladden, whose virile personality has been prominent in the public cre during recent weeks. If I do not highly value my own manhood, I cannot greatly help my fellow man."

Seif-respect is a debt we each owe to self and to the world. But that implies respect for our neighbor's self. He has a right to his individuality: that would be poor service to our fellows which would conform them into our own image. When we show deference to a friend's personality we help him in the cultivation of the most manly traits.

Kind words, like bread and butter, are al ways seasonable and profitable. Nohody is so self-contained that he is above the need for a generous word from his neighbor; and the average man is heart-hungry for just

Service without sympathy is selfish and usually in vain. There must be love and understanding before there can be help.

The best example of helpfulness was Jesus, and He taught His disciples to pray for one another. Great love will express itself in prayer. To desire the hazarst good of another, or of all men, is to be driven to one's knees in supplication before the Omnipotent. "More things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of."

Helping is giving, sometimes a giving of

Helping is giving; sometimes a giving of goods, but always a giving of self.

NEWS AND NOTES

The Y. M. C. A. of North America has secured a great park at Silver Bay, N. Y., on Lake George, which will be made a racation headquarters for Y. M. C. A. workers.

The Methodist Episcopal Church South has suffered a heavy blow in the destruction by fire of the main building of its principal institution of learning, Vanderbilt University. The loss is estimated at \$215,000.

A Christian Japanese has for eight years been conducting in Japan a work among prisoners similar to that maintained in this country by Mrs. Mand Bailington Rooth. Seventy per cent. of the more than six hundred men and women whom he has aided have become Christians.

At the international Sunday school convention in Property Law 2014 275.

vention in Toronto, June 20th-27th, it is expected that the International Association will become incorporated.

One of the most notable personages in Roman Catholic missionary circles, Bishop Favier, recently died at Pekin. For forty years he had labored in China, and curing the Boxer outbreak the defence of his mission property in Pekin was one of the most dramatic incidents of the siege.

Episcopal church in the United States has made more rapid gains, proportionately than any other church, its increase being 34.6.

any other church, its increase being 34.6, while the increase of population has been 21.8 per cent. Baptists have grown next most rapidly with 28.9 per cent., and then the Presbyterians with 24.8 per cent.

Justice Harian's proposal for a Presbyterian cathedral in the city of Washington, while it has aroused wide comment, has found very little approval. The point is made by Presbyterian papers and preachers that theirs is not a cathedral-building denomination. There seems to be no likelihood that Presbyterians generally will support the project.

The New Note.

The new truth that Mary told not only began to change the world's calendars, but also to make over its maps. Equipped with it, the little company of plain people, whom she found in perplexity, and fear, commenced to mould loceley anew, and to transform the spoid. The grean affirmation of the gospel, of a risen life for men right here.

The secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Scoul, Korea, to which Mr. Joan Wanamaker has given \$100,000 for a new building, is Mr. Kim Chung Sik, who formerly was an army officer and chief of police of Scoul. As such he made a reputation for himself because of his incorruptibility, among office-holders where corruption is the rule. One of Mr. Klin's duties as chief of the present-time of the present country of the pr

The decline of popular interest in Theosophy is apparent from the fact that when Colonel Younghusband, the conqueror of Thibet, lectured in London recently, he said that he had looked in vain for any Mahatmas: and none of the followers of Madame Biavarsky and Mrs. Besant made thy protest. Colonel Younghusband gays that the form of Buddhism which he found in Lhassa was the most corrupt in the world. He described the most corrupt in the world. He described the most corrupt in the and the control of the control of the most ignorant, superstitious and vermin-infested he had met with anywhere.

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS

To be good and disagreeable is high treason against virtue,—Anon.

Work is not man's punishment, it is his reward and his strength; his glory and his pleasure.—George Sand.

For life, with all it yields of joy and woe, And hope and fear (believe the aged friend), Is just our chance of the prize of learning love—

The world will soon forget its masters,

but will cling with loving remembrance to its servants.-L. T. Sweeney.

Every duty which is bidden to wait returns with seven fresh duties at its back.—C. Kingsiey.

always been, and always will be, while they



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TENDERS FOR TIMBER LIMITS.

Deputy Commissioner of Lands & W Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 4th May, 1905,

NOTICE.

totiowing streets, namely: (1) Government street, east side, from Fisquard street to Hillside avenue, and on the west side from Herald street to Hombroke street, and from Orchard street to Gorge road. (2) Douglas street, cast side, from Cormorant street to King's road. (3) Queen's avenue, south side, from Douglas street to Hinchard street (4) Work street, morth side, from Pleasant street to Bridge street. And that the whole of said works should be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Law, and the City Engineer and City Assessor laving reported to the Council, in accordant with the provisions of section 4 of the said by-law, upon the said works of local improvement, giving statement showing themson the said by-law, upon the said works of local improvement, giving statement showing themson the said to the Council on the State of the said by-law, and their reports having been adopted by the Council on the 22nd day of May metant:

Notice is hereby given that the reports in question are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. Victoria, B. C., May 23rd, 1905.

NOTICE.

2. Vancouver street, east side, from Pan-dora avenue to Pakington street; carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law." and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said by-law, upon the said work of local improvement, giving statements showing the amount chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property benefited thereby, and their reports naving been adopted by the Council on the lat of May instant.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
Victoria, B. C., May 4th, 1905.

REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA, 1886, CHAPTER 92.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO THE ABOVE STATUTE
OF PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF
WHARF IN THE HARBOR OF VICTORIA. BRITISH COLUMNIA.
The Municipal Council of the Corporation
of the City of Victoria, British Columbia,
hereby give notice, pursuant to the requirements of section of the above Statutes
that they have this day applied by pestion
to the Governor in Council for approval of
the site, and of the plan of the wharf proposed to be constructed on and over the
foreshore at the Northern termination of
Oswego street, in the City of Victoria, according to the Official Map of the said City
of Victoria. A plan and description of the
proposed site and of the wharf to be constructed have been deposited with the Minster of Public Works at Ottawa, and a
duplicate thereof has been deposited in the
Land Registry Office, at Victoria, B. C.,
this 17th day of May, 2005.

Notice is hereby given that I Intend to

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, at their next sitting as a Licensing Court, for a training for my license for the sale of wines and liquous by retail upon the premises situate at the southwest corner of Blanchard and Johnson streets, in the City of Victoria, and known as the Klondike Hotel, to William Jordan.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 1905.

BURT GOUGE.



riacer Mining.—Manitoba and the N. W. L. axcepting the Yakou. Territory. Piecer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee, 85, renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either har or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and digginater mark. The laiter includes har digginater mark. The laiter includes har digginater mark. The laiter includes har of the hill or bank ends back to the base of the hill or bank ends back to the base of the hill or bank the state of the hill or bank on the state of the hill or bank of the state of the hill or bank of the state of the hill or bank of the following the state of the hill or bank of the following the state of the hill or bank of the following the state of the stat

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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

Notice is hereby givin that the reservation covering Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Group, notice of which was published
in the British Columbia Gazette and dated.
Soth January, 1900, bias been cancelled, and
that Crown lands thereon will be open to
sale, pre-emption and other disposition
under the provisions of the Land Act, on
and after the 21st July next.
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works,
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, R. C., 20th April, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, at its bext sitting, for a transfer of the license held by me to sell by retail wines and liquors upon the premises known as the Oriental Hotel, situate at the corner of Yates street and Oriental alley, in the City of Victoria, to Egbert Courting Carvolth and Frank Seddon Evans, of this city. Dated this 25th day of May, 1905.

(Sgd.) MARGARET MARIA M'KPON.

CHANCERY CHAMBERS

A few offices are still open for selection in the new block on Basilom Square. Fire-proof vanils, electric light and hot water, Apply on the premises (or Box 152) to Messia. Gore & McGregor.

Children's Column.

THE WRITING LESSON.

A little maid sat writing—
Her page so fair and neat—
Her pen, with careful guiding.
Wrote words as pure and sweet.
But pausling just a moment,
With eyes up-turned to think,
Alas, there fell and spattered
A wretched blot of ink!

She sat and gazed upon it—
This tidy little maid—
Till with a voice that trembled
Regretfully she said:
"How sad that one short moment
Its story thus should write,
And leave its mark forever
Upon a page so white!"

Then as she sat thus musing—
This thoughtful little mald—
Soon lost in deep reflection,
In earnest tones she said:
"Life comes to us in pages—
Each day a page so white,
And on them God would have us
Our daily lessons write.

And oft, one careless moment Forever leaves its mark! Then if my page thus blotted Can cause such grief to me, How God must sorrow daily, So many blots to see!"

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT.

Throwed a piece of chalk at me, Right in school, an' took me square in th' ear! I squealed fer fight; Teacher come to where we sat, An'—"Rob Jones, did you do that?" She says, sharp an' awful cross. "W'y," Bob says, "I giv't a toss Jest as soft—no hard at all, But that baby had ter bawil"

"You're a liar!" I yelled out.
"Fore I'd had time ter think about
Where I 'us at. Teacher she
Turned an looked right elean through
'Nen she says: "Now, both of you
Do 'jest what I tell you to—
Take yer books an' go an' set
With the girls!"

Gee! but you bet
We felt awful cheap, becur
We thought 'at a lickin' wux
Easier to stan' 'an that'
But I went acrost, an' sat
Down by Lizzle Smith-an' say!
She just looked 'th' other way
Like she didn't notice me.

That wuz jest at first—an', gee! I don't blame her, 'cause, you see, All the girls laughed, an' the boys Groaned an' made a kissin' noise With their mouth. But after while Lizzie she begin ter smile, 'Nen she give a little quick Shove to her er-rijh-ma-tic To'rds-me. An' there was about To ros me. An there was about All th' 'xamples, all worked out With the answers right! Well, I Copied 'em off jest like ple' Giris, y' know, can always do Lessons—an' they like 'em, too! Linzie had a apple there, An' when she had made me swear Not to tell, she give me some. Not to tell, she give me some
'N showed me where she kep' her gum.
Bay, I'll bet I know what's meant
By "Cap-pit-tul pun-ish-ment!"
—Cleveland Leader.

"THE CHILDREN'S HOUR." Oh! the wonderful things that Daddy Is called upon to do! My, he has to be an artist,

A horse, and a "moo-cow," too!

And the darlings say it's funny

When Daddy tries to moo!

He is also at times an elephant,

A giraffe, and a kangaroo!

And then, as a dear old donker, He tries a floud hee-haw; Again, as a big, bold iton, He endeavors in vain to rear! Then Dorls, the dimpled darling, She of the flaxen hair,

Then Connie does want a robin. Blue-winged, with a scarlet breast,
And also a yellow blackbird,
With its little ones in a nest.
Then a curious looking creature,
Such as only a daddy can draw,

Then Victor wants Mister Noah, With the animals two-by-two; If you saw them, I'm sure you'd agree that There's nothing like them at the Zoo.

Bright Eyes,

call me at the right moment. There is only one right moment and if you do not call me then, of course I can't come, don't you moment you go not call moment you go not call me then, of course I can't come, don't you may not you may not

Fairy, "because nebody knows what the right moment is until it comes. There is a right moment for everything, and this is never "find him out."

Why should a faise friend never leave his house?—Because you might look in and a right moment for everything, and this is never "find him out."

Why is a washerwoman the most wonder-into the magic garden, where everything is more beautiful than anything you ever to bed worn out, and next morning gets up fine lines.

So the Fairy stretched out her hand, and What is that which is full of ho he took it, and as soon as he touched it he yet helds water?—A sponge.

himself became no bigger than your thumb.

Mhea does a farmer bend his sheep withand the petals of the rose opened like a out hurting them?—When he folds them.

glorious pink gate, and they went in, and Why is love like a novel?—Because it is a

slorious pluk gate, and they went in, and why is love like a novel?—Because it is a as soon as they had passed the petals closed behind them again.—

And the small boy found himself in the magic garden, where the flowers are every changing shape and color, and wherever you look beautiful views open out before you, with avenues of trees covered with gens and blossoms and wreaths of flowers that change color as you look at them, all the

THE MAGIC GARDEN.

The Small Boy wandered out into the gardes all by himself. He was very lonely and disconsolate, so he thought be would go and talk to the flowers, and see if they would say anything to him.

For the roses capecially seemed to him as if they must be allive and sensible, because they nodded at him in such a friendly way whenever he came by, and he was quite sure that if he could only catch them at the right moment they would talk to him quite properly, as he had always imagined. So he went out and stood before the largest and most heautiful rose of all, and said, "Good morning" to it, quite nicely and politely, as he had been taught. And he was not in the least surprised when a beautiful little pink fairy, no bigger than your thumb, came out of the rose and said, "Good morning" to him in reply.

He clapped his hands and said, "Ohfairy, Fairy dear, I have been expecting to see you ever so many times. Why didn't you come zooner?"

And the Fairy said, "Because you didn't cail me at the right moment. There is only one right moment, and if you done right moment, and if you done right moment. There is only one right moment, and if you done right moment, and if you done right moment. There is only one right moment, and if you done right moment for you to wake up."

"Oh! please tell me what the right moment is, dear Fairy," he said, getting quite excited, "so that I may be able to call you when it comes."

"Ah' that is impossible," answered the what is impossible, answered the what is impossible, answered the what is impossible, answered the what is an oid indy like a trout?—When when it comes."

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Jetsam, Jokes and Jingles.

Wilkins and Roberts had not met for two
years, and when the other day they met aceldentally Wilkins was surprised at Roberts's careworn appearance.

"What's the matter, old fellow?" he saked. "You look blue."

"And well I may," was the reply. "I'm
arried!"

"And well than," was the reply. "I'm
at a hotion that this hieroglyphic
is something that stands for your name.

married!"
"Good gracious! This is news indeed.
Who's the lady?"

"You remember Miss Smythe?"
"Not Miss Ada Smythe?"

"The same."
"That's strange, now. I was engaged to her myself years ago."
"Say that again," said Roberts quietly.

"I'm afraid I did." "You are quite sure?"

"Certainly."
And then it was that Roberts fell upon Wilkins, and amote him tooth and nsil.
"There," he said, as he contemplated the surprised and battered wreck which gased up at him in mute appeal. "perhaps that will be a lesson to you not to play me a dirty trick like that again!"

I study the seppentine scrawl; I picture a double-you yonder, That may be an I after all.
I think of each possible topic, I hold it in all sorts of ways; And after a test microscopic, I think I will try the X-Rays.

THE SPEAKER'S LOYALTY.

Chief Clerk Ben F. Russell, of Steelville Unit Clerk Ben F. Russell, of Steelville Mo., is telling a good story on Speake David Hill, of the Missouri House of Representatives. Hill is a big man, weigh something like 200 pounds, and is bold a film. That is added simply to show that Hill is not afraid of anything, even whe he threatens to vote for a Democrat for senator, as he did a few days prior to the

senator, as he did a few days prior to the adjournment of the legislature.

But the storp goes back to Poplar Bluff, where Mr. Hill resides. He reached home last Saturday, tired from his efforts as presiding officer of the House. He retired early and was soon sleeping peacefully, having apparently got rid of his political cares. About midnight he was partially awakened by Mrs. Hill.

"Dave, Dave," she called.

"Dave, Dave," she called.

TO AN ILLEGIBLE CORRESPONDENT.

Is something that stands for your nam

'Tis awkward to hazard replying.
For I don't know at all what you eay;
But I've boidly decided on trying
To master a work every day.
I can't say I'm doing much so far.
But I'll keep at the job all the same;
The note you have sent me will go far
To give life a permanent aim.

I look at it downwards and sidelong, I scan it in all kinds of light; My friends and acquaintances have tried

With comments I dare not recite. Here's a word that might really be Russian, But the next might as likely be Greek; And we make it a theme of discussion Till they all go away in a pique.

And I dream of the friends that are dead,
I shall feel a renaissance of wonder
When I light on this letter unread.
When memory's light shall be mellow,
And I think of the days that are not,
I shall sigh for the dear faithful fellow
Who Who wrote to me-goodness knows what

"A certain class of insune persons are re-markable for their ready and apt retorts," said Dr. George T. Winston, the criminolo-gist. "I have in mind a young man in a "Dave, wake up, I hear theives in the house," said she.
"Thieves in the house?" said Mr. Hill, half awake, "I guess not. They're all in the Senate."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

"Tut, tut, said I. "Don't sweer."

floor swearing bitterly.

"Tut, tut,' said I. 'Don't swear.'

"Why not?' said he.

"Because,' said I, 'you won't go to heaven if you do.'

"Oh,' said the young man disdainfully.

"Tu, not young to heaven to heaven."

'I'm not going to try to go to heaver There's more trying now than'll get in.' "-Philadelphia Bulletin.

Blobbs-"Now, generally speaking wo-men---" Slobbs-"Of course they are."--Philadelphia Becord.

"I'd leave my happy home for you--"
"Yes, George; but pa hasn't an extra room
in the house!"-Town and Country.

"She's a very clever talker. She always hits the nail on the head." "Not always. I saw her with her thumb tied up yesterday."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Patience—"I see they are talking of put-ting—telephones—in—the opera boxes. Patrice—"What's that for, do you sup-pose" "Oh, the society people get tired talking to one another after a while, you know."—Yonkers Statesman.

The Maid—"I suppose a loving wife suf-fers as much as her husband when he hap-pens to be ill?" The Wife—"Yes; and he usually sees to it that she suffers more."— Chicago Dally News.

lag, and I've gut to go to the vertry meeting again to-night." 'But, John, why don't you take the one you've been carrying for the past week?" "What, to the vestry meeting? Why, that's where I got it."—
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